

# More War In Korea? Stop The Bloodshed

An Editorial

GEN. MacARTHUR'S mimeograph machines are working overtime again. Naturally, they are telling us what a sublime military genius MacArthur is. The unprecedented military losses into which MacArthur led American troops in Asia with his "Home by Xmas" boast are turned by the MacArthur magic into one of the greatest military victories of all time.

MacArthur can't lose—that seems to be the standing rule in the overworked publicity department he runs.

The truth is that MacArthur is trying to make America forget what his scheme for a new Asian colony in Korea and for war on China has already cost the nation in lives, treasure and blood.

Of the American boys he promised "home by Christmas," more than 15,000 dead, wounded or missing have been added in the past few weeks to the enormous casualty list of the needless, unjust, horrible war.

MacARTHUR COULD NEVER explain to the world why he ordered his ill-fated attack on the Korean People's Army and Chinese volunteers just at the moment these forces were disengaging from the U.S. troops, and just when the People's China government delegation was arriving at Lake Success.

He could never explain why he spurned with contempt the warnings of the British, French and Indian governments not to cross the 38th parallel toward the Chinese Manchurian border.

The MacArthur-Dulles decision to start a war in Korea to force the brutal Syngman Rhee down the throats of the people has proved to be a first-class military disaster for the American people. It has brought grief to thousands of homes in the land. It has orphaned many American children, destroyed many an American boy, and for what? For the latest soaring prices in the New York Stock Market? For Chrysler's new contracts for tanks?

NOW THIS MILITARIST is not satisfied.

He wants more war, more killing, more savage air raids on Korean homes, farms and villages, more casualty lists for the mothers, young wives in our land.

MacArthur's boast that he has merely "redeployed" his troops can only mean that he expects to hurl them into new attacks against the Korean people.

Surely, this is not the deep-felt desire of the American people. The vast outpouring of letters, wires, etc. to Congressmen from every corner of the land dramatically proves the opposite.

MacArthur did not ask the American people when he decided to hurl our country into a senseless slaughter foredoomed to defeat. He is not asking the American people—and neither is the White House or the State Department—whether to continue the killing, piling up new horrors for the Korean people and new casualty lists for our families.

THE KOREAN WAR should be stopped immediately before another life is lost.

Is MacArthur going to march America up the same bloody road from Pusan once more, fighting peoples who

(Continued on Page 7)

## CHINA CHARGES U. S. PLANES BOMBED MANCHURIA DEC. 21

— See Page 2 —

# Daily Worker

Reentered as second class matter Oct. 22, 1947, at the postoffice at New York, N. Y., under the Act of March 3, 1879

Vol. XXVII, No. 258  
(12 Pages) Price 5 Cents

New York, Wednesday, December 27, 1950

26

★ ★

# NOTABLES IN DRIVE FOR McGARRAN REPEAL

— See Page 3 —

## Rabbi Silver Says Truman Is Dragging Nation to War

CLEVELAND, Dec. 26.—This city was pondering today a sermon by one of its leading citizens, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, who told an overflow audience in his Temple Sunday that the entire Korean adventure was the result of a political move by the Truman Administration seeking to appease reactionary Republican sentiment.

Rabbi Silver, former president of the Zionist Organization of America and himself once a supporter of Sen. Robert A. Taft (R-O), charged that the Truman Administration is responsible for dragging the nation, and the United Nations, into one of the gravest international crises ever faced.

It is seeking to cover this up, he declared, by throwing the burden on the people through a fake "national emergency" declaration, and by taking the country and the world into a terrible war against the USSR.

He demanded an examination of the whole course of Administration politics, and maintained the "national emergency" proclamation was totally unnecessary and was proclaimed to obscure Administration responsibility for its military and political defeats.

It is clear as day, he said, that the politics of the State Department both in Asia and in Europe are leading to inevitable war

with the USSR. He listed among these politics the Truman Doctrine, the Marshall Plan, the effort to save the hide of Syngman Rhee seizure of Taiwan and rearming of Nazi Germany. All of these, he declared, are leading the world to catastrophe.

In recent months, he said, there was plenty of opportunity to resolve the crisis honorably. But instead of accepting proposals made by Nehru and others, we overran the 38th Parallel and approached the Chinese and Soviet borders.

Now that we have reached the stage of virtual war with the USSR, and every military strategist knows that the USSR cannot be crushed militarily, the Administration does not plan to ask Congress for war but seeks to drag us in deeper through such measures as the national emergency, Silver warned.

## Quit Korea, Says Catholic Weekly

The Catholic weekly, *Commonweal*, has joined the ranks of Americans who are demanding an end to intervention in Korea.

(Continued on Page 9)

## 3 Rallies Tonight to Greet CP Convention

Rockland Palace

MANHATTAN: 155 St. and Eighth Ave.

Hunts Point Palace

BRONX: 953 Southern Blvd.

BROOKLYN:



# Charge U. S. Planes Bombed Manchurian Province on Dec. 21

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Radio Moscow today broadcast a Chinese newspaper report which said American planes on Dec. 21 bombed and strafed a district in Manchuria while committing seven violations of Chinese territory.

Quoting the newspaper, Tung Pei Chih Pao, Moscow said five American planes bombed and machine gunned the Changpai district in Antung province the morning of Dec. 21. One peasant was wounded, the newspaper asserted.

## Corporations' Working Capital Triples 1939

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Working capital of American corporations is now more than three times the 1939 figure, the Securities and Exchange Commission reported today. For the quarter ended on Sept. 30, corporate working capital totaled \$75,900,000,000, an increase of \$2,200,000,000 over the previous quarter, the SEC noted.

In 1939, working capital was \$24,500,000,000, and when the United States entered World War II in December, 1941, it was \$32,300,000,000.

American corporations spent more than \$18,000,000,000 in 1950 on expanding physical plant and equipment.

Recently the SEC reported that companies planned to spend in the first three months of 1951 about 30 percent more for plant

and equipment than in the March quarter of 1950.

### TO SPEND MORE

These first quarter spending plans envisage an outlay of about \$4,800,000,000, against \$3,700,000,000 in the March quarter of this year.

Present steel capacity of 100,500,000 tons a year will be raised to 110,000,000 tons by the end of 1952, it is estimated.

The report said most of the Sep-

tember quarter increase of \$2,200,000,000 in working capital was a result of increases in cash, holding of Government securities and expansion of inventories.

Inventories were valued at \$46,900,000,000 on Sept. 30, having risen \$1,600,000,000 during the quarter. Cash and bank deposits rose \$1,100,000,000 to \$26,900,000,000. Holdings of Government issues increased \$1,200,000,000 to \$19,500,000,000.

## Aussie Clerics Hit Truman's Call to Prayer as 'Political'

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 26.—Australian churchmen today criticized President Truman's call for worldwide peace prayers next Sunday as an "obviously political" attempt to "get God on America's side."

"I think there is a good deal of evidence that Truman thinks the purpose of religion is to get God on America's side," said the Rev. Alan Walker, superintendent of the Waverly Methodist Mission.

"A far greater American President, Abraham Lincoln, in a time of crisis said he was more concerned about being on

God's side than about getting God on his side."

Walker said he considered the call for prayer "far too partisan and political a move for the universal church of Jesus Christ to support."

Sydney's Anglican dean, the Very Rev. S. Barton Babbage, assailed Truman's appeal as "too obviously political."

"Churchmen won't be altogether happy about Truman's call for prayer," he said. "It's too obviously political. I think some church leaders will be skeptical about the value of prayer organized for political motives and in an endeavor to command the Deity."

## Imperialism Loses in Korea, Says Paper

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—The Communist youth newspaper Kom-somolskaya Pravda, said today American imperialism not only had suffered a military defeat in Korea, but a strategic defeat as well. "A serious blow has been dealt the entire military-strategic plan of American imperialism in the Far East," it said.

"If such a die-hard imperialist as former President Hoover calls 'insane' the policy of Truman-Acheson-Harriman-MacArthur and company and suggests re-examination before it is too late, it can only mean one thing—American plans for world domination are crashing."

### HELP US REPORT THE PEACE MOVEMENT

The Daily Worker knows that thousands of actions occur daily throughout the nation on behalf of peace. Not a few of them, recently, have been reflected in the local newspapers as the grass-roots surge against war continues to mount.

We urge our readers to send us such clippings, for it is clearly impossible for us, in New York, to get the several thousand dailies nationally. And no other New York newspaper is interested in showing the giant scope of the grass-roots outcry against war.

## USSR Picks International Group To Award Stalin Peace Prizes

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—The supreme Soviet announced today appointment of a 12-man committee to name winners of the Stalin Peace Prizes established last year on Premier Josef Stalin's 70th birthday. The committee will be headed by Dmitry Skobeltsin, a professor of Moscow University, with Kuoh Mo-jo, president of the Chinese Academy, as vice president. Other members include French poet Louis Aragon, Danish novelist Martin Nexø, London University Prof. John Bernal, Chilean writer Pablo Neruda and Soviet writer Ilya Ehrenbourg.

## Protests Force Iran Gov't to Halt British Oil Pact

TEHERAN, Dec. 26.—Demonstrations by students and workers during the last week forced Finance Minister Gholam Hussein Furuhar to withdraw from the Iranian parliament today a bill extending the "agreement" by which the Anglo-Iranian Oil Co exploited the country's oil resources.

The demonstrations had demanded cancellation of the "agreement" and nationalization of the oil industry. But Furuhar, in withdrawing

the bill, declared the "agreement" would be renegotiated. The "agreement" signed last year, recently was rejected by the Parliament oil committee on the ground that it failed to protect Iran's rights.

## Philadelphians Back Pastor's 10 Point Plan To Bring Peace

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—A prominent clergyman's 10-point peace plan, calling for a change in the "excessively military policy of containment of Communism and getting tough with Communism" is winning support in conservative circles here.

The Rev. Paul Whiteman Hoon, senior minister at the First Methodist Church of Germantown declared "our policies up to now have failed" and advocated "a fresh approach to our foreign policy" before 900 members of his congregation last Sunday.

His proposals, to avoid both "global war" and what he called "the global tyranny of Communism," include giving custody of all atomic bombs to the UN; a national day of prayer with all business, schools and factories closed, around the clock peace negotiations with the Soviet Union, "the American press and radio to present an undistorted picture of the world situation, including both the grievances of the Russian people, and ours."

The peace plan was prominently displayed by the Philadelphia Inquirer, which has led a campaign of intimidation against local peace workers. Letters and telephone calls began pouring into Dr. Hoon. Supporters of his plan were told it was planned to print it both as a sermon, and separately, for distribution to those who wanted to send it to their congressmen.

The Inquirer itself began receiving letters of commendation, one of which it printed last Thursday. Signed by Myron C. Pilbrow, of Broomhall, Pa., it commended the Inquirer for publishing the peace

(Continued on Page 4)

## Chinese Charge British Oppress Malaysians

LONDON, Dec. 26.—A member of the People's China government yesterday charged Britain with the persecution of the peoples of Malaya and declared the Malaysians would not tolerate it.

Radio Moscow reported that Peng Tze Min, a member of the Commission of Overseas Affairs of the People's China government told the Malayan peoples that the 450,000,000 Chinese people will back the demands of the Malayan peoples.

"In 1941 when British colonial troops without offering resistance shamefully surrendered to the Japanese," he said "the overseas Chinese in Malaya together with the local population started an anti-Japanese war and won final victory."

Radio Moscow, quoting a Tass dispatch from Peking, said Peng told Malaysians that after the war the British "enslaved and persecuted overseas Chinese and members of the local population at random."

"Neither the Chinese people nor the local population in Malaya will tolerate such ingratitude and brutality," Peng said.

Concluding, Peng called upon the Malayan Chinese to strengthen their unity

## Marines Get a Sad Yule Greeting

On Dec. 23, Jack Burby, United Press correspondent at the MacArthur evacuation of Hungnam, wrote in his diary:

"A young leatherneck, standing by yawning door of an LST in a foot of mud, spits on the ground and says: 'Good-bye, Korean soil. I hope I never see you again.'"

But the Marine's hopes were dashed on Christmas Day itself, when Vice Adm. Charles T. Joy, U. S. Navy commander in the Far East, told a press conference in Tokyo that the troops evacuated from Hungnam "are not going home."



## Speed Work On Capitol For 82d Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26. — A crew of workmen start a race against the clock tomorrow in an effort to get the Capitol in shape for the incoming Congress.

They will be driving down the homestretch on a \$5,000,000 re-decorating job on the Senate and House chambers.

Capitol architect David Lynn said today that the job will be finished by Jan. 3, when the 82d Congress convenes.

# Open the Prison Doors

An Editorial

IN ELOQUENT AND HEARTFELT words, Peggy Dennis, wrote an Open Letter last Sunday to President Truman urging that he grant amnesty to the many political prisoners now in jail this holiday season.

Eugene Dennis, General Secretary of the Communist Party, is in jail for no crime: only because he refuses to sell his conscience for his freedom. "You could grant amnesty to these many political prisoners," Peggy Dennis told the President, "without committing yourself on the merits of the issues in these cases. You could act in the spirit of Christmas. But you didn't."

Here are some of the names of the brave men and women locked behind prison bars today as we celebrate the season and the turn to the new year:

Eugene Dennis, the Hollywood writer Carl Marzani, the noble and heroic Mrs. Rosa Lee Ingram, mother of 12

children; Willie McGee, the Martinsville Seven, the Trenton Six, Haywood Patterson again facing police persecution; Helen Bryan, Ernestina Fleischman, Lieut. Leon Gilbert in a Korea military prison, and many others, especially Negroes doomed to life terms or long years in jail for defending themselves or resisting "white supremacy" violence.

To paraphrase the words of Gene Debs, great Socialist fighter, as long as these victims are in prison we are not free. We must exert every demand for amnesty. What men like Dennis went to jail for is now seen to be patriotic truth by millions. Dennis spoke out for peace, for the Negro people, and the un-Americans jailed him.

We urge that wires be sent to President Truman today urging he open the jail doors for the men and women who have been torn from their families or framed by Negro-haters.

# 32 Notables Head Big List In McCarran Repeal Drive

## Sabath Introduces Bill To Repeal McCarran Act

Daily Worker Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Rep. Adolph Sabath (D-Ill) has introduced a bill to repeal the McCarran Act, his office revealed today. The repealer was dropped into the hopper Friday, it was said.

## 'Small Business' Group Bared as Wall St. Front

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A House committee investigating lobbying today accused the so-called Conference of American Small Business Organizations of acting as an undercover front in pressuring for laws favorable to big business.

A report by the committee, headed by Rep. Frank Buchanan, (D-Pa) said the conference tried to hide details of its financial support by encouraging contributions of less than \$500. Such contributions do not have to be reported in detail under Federal law.

The conference urged large concerns to buy membership by cloaking contributions in the names of office or district manager whose associations are not reported, the committee reported.

"The conference has sought and in some cases obtained . . . financial support from interests that do

not fit into any reasonable concept of small business," the report said.

It added that conference chairman Fred A. Virkuk of Chicago, in appealing for such support, "has emphasized its interests in legislative matters in which big business as such cannot come out in the open."

"As for Casbo's claim that it voices the 'deliberated opinion' of small business, its methods of ascertaining and formulating such opinion, sometimes through loaded questionnaires, prepared resolutions and otherwise, should make the congress wary of any figures which Casbo offers."

Formation of a national committee to repeal the McCarran Act was announced yesterday by 32 prominent Americans, including two Nobel Prize winners, six bishops, and leading educators and scientists. They have already been joined by over 1,000 others from every state and District of Columbia.

Among the initiators of the committee are Nobel Prize winners Emily Greene Balch and Thomas Mann; Methodist Bishop James C. Baker and Bishop W. J. Walls of the A.M.E. Zion Church; Frank Rosenblum, Secretary-Treasurer, Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO; Frank Aydelotte, Institute of Advanced Studies, Princeton University; Dr. John A. Mackay, president, Princeton Theological Seminary; and Pierre van Paassen, Unitarian clergyman and author.

Committee spokesmen John B. Thompson, dean, Rockefeller Memorial Chapel, University of Chicago, and Robert Morris Lovett, former acting governor of the Virgin Islands, explained that the committee grew out of countless letters since its passage urging them to lead a movement for repeal.

### MCCARRAN RESULTS

"The hysteria and intimidation the law has evoked in the two months since its passage," Thompson and Lovett said, "have strengthened the opposition of those who were against its passage and have opened the eyes of many who were not fully aware of the dangers of such repressive legislation."

"The present situation holds three most hopeful prospects," they added.

"First is the repeal measure in-

(Continued on Page 9)

## 3 RALLIES TONIGHT TO GREET COMMUNIST PARLEY

Three rallies for peace and freedom to greet the National Convention of the Communist Party of the United States will be held tonight.

In Manhattan, at Rockland Palace, 155 St. and Eighth Ave., major speakers will include Gus Hall, Benjamin J. Davis, Claudia Jones, Bernadette Doyle and Joseph Bucholt.

In Brooklyn the main speakers will be Robert Thompson, Pettis Perry, Bernadette Doyle, William Schneiderman and Selma Weiss.

In the Bronx, at Hunts Point Palace, 953 Southern Boulevard, speakers will be Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, Gus Hall, Henry Winston, Bernadette Doyle, Roosevelt Ward and John Williamson.

## BROOKLYN TO GREET CP PARLEY DESPITE HALL BAN

The Communist Party last night issued the following statement on the banning of Livingston Manor in Brooklyn for one of its rallies tonight opening the party's 15th national convention.

"Reactionary pressure has caused a Brooklyn hallkeeper to break his contract with the Communist Party for a meeting Wednesday night."

"This is an attack upon the basic democratic rights of all Americans. If the right of Communists to hold peaceful meetings is destroyed, then the whole American tradition of hiring a hall and discussing issues is destroyed."

"This is only a small index of the extent to which Washington's bi-partisan war hysteria has infected the country. These actions vividly expose the hypocrisy of our

UN delegates who talk of exporting democracy abroad while tolerating its strangulation at home.

"As far as we are concerned, we Communists will find ways and means of reaching our fellow-workers and neighbors, Negro and white, with our message of peace, democracy and socialism. In the fight to be heard in the marketplace of ideas we are confident that millions of Americans of various political faiths who support the Bill of Rights will condemn these attacks upon free speech."

Kings County headquarters of the Communist Party said last night they were making arrangements for another hall and were confident the meeting would go on as scheduled.

## Detroiters Concerned Over Haywood Patterson Arrest

By William Allan

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—Michigan citizens are deeply concerned with the recent arrest of Haywood Patterson on a charge of "murder," which climaxes a life-time of persecution by the police. Patterson was one of the nine Scottsboro Negro youths framed by Alabama authorities back in the thirties on a phony charge of "rape."

The people in Michigan know the record of frame-ups and beatings of Negro citizens by the police of this city.

People here point to the fact that Patterson was the centre of a fight against extradition to Alabama here last summer that prevented the State of Michigan authorities from granting an okay to Alabama authorities to take Patterson back to Kilby prison, from which he had escaped after serving 19 years because of the notorious frameup.

It is also noted that Patterson was not sought by Detroit police until Dec. 8 despite the fact the alleged stabbing which resulted in the death of William Mitchell took place Dec. 18. The police now claim they have five eye-witnesses.

On the morning of the stabbing, police learned that Patterson was to be a witness at the prosecutor's office for a Negro woman who filed charges that city police had beaten her in a neighborhood bar come two weeks before.

It is now learned that the deceased Mitchell, while being rush-

ed to the hospital, was in a car that en route was involved in an accident.

Patterson last Friday stood mute before Recorder's Court judge George Murphy. A writ of habeas corpus was denied. He was quoted in the press as saying that he was not in the bar when the stabbing took place. He is held on a charge of "first degree murder."

Patterson is represented by a local attorney obtained by his sister who lives here.

The Civil Rights Congress is conducting an investigation.

## POINT OF ORDER

### McArthur's Latest

By Alan Max

After reading MacArthur's latest communique, it seems that MacArthur's "Christmas" offensive was the best planned move in all military history; it would have been disastrous NOT to have launched it; this way we found out the intentions of the Chinese and there was no other possible way we could have found out their intentions—except, of course, by listening to what the Chinese themselves had told us would happen if we menaced their border.



# The Speech That Was Banned at UN

## 6. Volunteers Against Aggression

Ambassador Wu Hsui-chuan, head of the delegation of the Chinese People's Republic, came to the United States prepared to press charges of aggression in Taiwan (Formosa) against the U. S. Government. Ambassador Wu was prevented from making his charges before the United Nations Political Committee by the intrigues of the U. S. delegation. As a result, the speech that Ambassador Wu was ready to deliver was to all practical purposes censored at the UN. The capitalist press, which also received copies of the speech, refused to print it. Following is the final installment of the speech:

**THE CHINESE PEOPLE** understand fully and correctly the whole implication of the constant provocations against China by the United States armed forces which are committing armed aggression simultaneously against Taiwan and Korea. The aggressor who has invaded Korea is exactly the aggressor who invaded Taiwan. They understand that once the aggressor in Korea completes its aggression against Korea, its next step will be inevitably a further aggression against the mainland of China.

China is the only country

which has a common border of 500 kilometers with Korea. The people of China and the people of Korea have always in history relied upon each other.

The aggressor who invades Korea today invariably invades China tomorrow. This is what imperialist Japan did 55 years ago. This is what the American imperialists are doing now, only proceeding with a greater speed. Hence, the Chinese people, in their resistance against the United States aggression on Taiwan, are rendering help on a voluntary basis to the Korean

people to resist the aggressive actions of the United States.

Such actions are not only irreproachable, but wholly right. Such actions are not only a help rendered to their neighbor, but also an act of defense of their own homeland.

It is the American imperialist aggressors and their accomplices who have committed armed aggression against Taiwan and Korea. The actions of the Chinese people of rendering voluntary support to the Korean people in their resistance to the aggression of United States Government, are rightful deeds

aimed at opposing intervention and aggression.

So long as the criminal acts of intervention and aggression on the part of the United States aggressors and their accomplices continue, the rightful struggle of the Chinese people and the Korean people against intervention and aggression will never cease, no matter how the United States aggressors and their accomplices try to pervert the truth, to cheat and deceive.

**THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS** have come 5,000 miles (Continued on Page 10)

## Report Korea Skirmishes Above Seoul

Skirmishes were reported yesterday between patrols of the Korean People's army and MacArthur's troops south of the 38th parallel, according to press dispatches from Tokyo. The skirmishes were all the way along the 140-mile waist of Korea.

Front dispatches for the first time reported brushes in the east coast area across from Seoul. There were also small probing actions by the Korean People's Army, 28 miles north of Seoul and 24 miles northwest of Seoul.

Puppet President Syngman Rhee said his "government" had no intention of leaving, and he was confident the city was secure. But only a day earlier the National Assembly and many government offices decided to move to Pusan.

## IWO Protests to High Court on McGrath Meddling

The International Workers Order, a fraternal insurance society, yesterday filed a protest with the U. S. Supreme Court against intervention of the U. S. Attorney General in a New York court proceeding seeking liquidation of the IWO.

In a letter to Attorney General McGrath made public yesterday, the IWO charged the Attorney General with having practiced "gross deception and abuse of judicial process" in representations before the Supreme Court, and demanded that he withdraw his representatives from the proceedings in the New York State Supreme Court.

The IWO recalled that McGrath, when sued by the IWO for having been placed on the "subversive list," had told the courts that the listing of the IWO in no way "altered the status of activities conducted by the plaintiff" (IWO).

The letter further quoted the Attorney General as having assured the courts that the IWO "remains so far as the law and the execution thereof are concerned, perfectly free to collect and disburse funds" and "to continue in precisely the same form as with precisely the same membership in conducting the same activities as always."

### Derrick Protest Rally Tomorrow

Back Milline, eyewitness to the brutal police murder of John Derrick, will speak at a protest rally by the Bedford-Stuyvesant Civil Rights Congress tomorrow (Thursday), at Paragon Hall, Brooklyn Ave. and Fulton St.

Russell Meek of the Harlem CRC, will also speak. The meeting begins at 8:15. Admission is free.

## Daily Worker

Published daily except Saturday and Sunday by the Freedom of the Press Co., Inc., 50 E. 13th St., New York 3, N. Y. Telephone ALgonquin 4-7954.

Reentered as second class matter Oct. 23, 1947, at the post office at New York, N. Y., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
(Except Manhattan, Bronx, Queens and Foreign)  
Daily Worker & The Worker 5 mos. \$3.75 6 mos. \$4.50 1 year \$8.00  
Daily Worker Only 5 mos. \$2.50 6 mos. \$3.00 1 year \$5.00  
The Worker 5 mos. \$1.50 6 mos. \$1.80 1 year \$3.00  
(Manhattan and Bronx)  
Daily Worker & The Worker \$4.00 \$4.50 \$7.50  
Daily Worker Only 3.25 4.00 6.00  
The Worker 1.50 1.80 2.50

## Army to Call Up 7,500 Officers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The Army announced today that it will call about 7,500 more lieutenants and captains to active duty in March, including 890 physicians and 850 dentists.

The new call will bring to 27,000 the number of army officers who have been returned to uniform on an individual basis since the Korean war. Many others—the army would not say how many—have been called up with National Guard or Reserve units.

While the March call will be on an individual basis, some officers affected may also be members of guard or reserve units. Officials said this is the first time during the current emergency that such officers have been summoned on an individual basis.

The order affects 5,420 male lieutenants, 1,900 captains, 100 WACS, 165 chaplains and 415 assorted specialists in addition to the physicians and dentists. They will be drawn both from the active and inactive reserves.

As in previous calls, officers will be ordered to active duty for 21 months.

Those affected will be given 30 days to close out their personal and business affairs, unless they want to report earlier. Officers with four or more dependents will be exempted upon request.

### NAZIS FORM SECRET PARACHUTIST GROUP

BERLIN, Dec. 26 (Telepress).—A "Union of Parachutists" was formed last week at a secret meeting at Bremen, West Germany. Former members of the Nazi Parachute Corps took part in the meeting.

Two thousand former German parachutists are at present fighting against the Viet Nam People's Army, a former Nazi lieutenant announced at the meeting.

## Snow Snarles Traffic But Delights Kids

Snow falling all day yesterday in New York provided children their first opportunity this winter to use their sleds, but it also glazed streets and pavements and snarled traffic. The whirling snowstorm, driven by a northwest wind, was expected to subside by today, when, the weather man said, things would clear up.

"Unless the situation changes radically," is the way a Weather Bureau spokesman carefully put it, "there will be no heavy accumulation."

Reports from the midwest yesterday, however, told of one of the season's heaviest snowfalls. A heavy band of snow about 200 miles wide extended from southeastern Minnesota southeastward across the Wisconsin-Illinois state-line, into Indiana and northern Ohio.

### Furriers Meeting Today on Wages

A special wage proposal will be submitted to Furriers Joint Council members at a membership meeting today (Wednesday) 5:30 p.m., in Manhattan Center, 34 St., west of Eighth Ave.

The wage proposal comes under the 1950 agreement, fur council officers said, and is not part of the 15 percent increase sought for the 1951 contract.

### Leading Soviet Geographer Dies

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The death of Lev Berg, 75, leading Soviet geographer and president of the All-Union Geographical Society, was announced by Radio Moscow today.

The broadcast lauded Berg as an "outstanding Soviet scientist." It said he was the author of 500 monographs, books and articles and winner of two geographical society gold medals plus other orders of medals.

He was a specialist on Eastern Russia and the Bering Strait.



## New Eyewitnesses Report on Killing Of Negro Vet by Cop

By John Hudson Jones

Additional eyewitnesses to the brutal police slaying of John Derrick, 24-year-old Negro discharged veteran, on Dec. 7 came forward over the weekend as four boroughs

planned actions to demand punishment of the two guilty policemen.

In Harlem, the Civil Rights Congress will hold a mass meeting tonight (Wednesday) in Faith Baptist Church, 2237 Eighth Ave., with William L. Patterson, national CRC secretary, and Kurt L. Harold, administrative secretary, as speakers.

Among the eyewitnesses who saw Patrolman Louis Palumbo and Basil Minakotis, of the 28th precinct, pump three bullets into Derrick's body, is Charles Glover, 436 Manhattan Ave. Glover declared yesterday that he is not afraid to tell what he saw on the night of Dec. 7 on the corner of Eighth Avenue and 119th St.

Previously witnesses had expressed fear of police reprisals if they recounted for publication or courts how the two cops rode up beside Derrick and his two friends and shot him dead.

The mass movement for justice in the Derrick case which has arisen in Harlem and throughout the city is held accountable for the present willingness of witnesses to talk up.

Rev. James H. Robinson of The Church of The Master, serving as chairman of the GI John Derrick Committee for Justice announced growing support for his committee in responses to a letter addressed to hundreds of prominent Harlemites and other New Yorkers.

"I have examined the evidence," Rev. Robinson wrote, "and found it so clear and so horrible that I readily agreed to assist the NAACP in the formation of a citizens committee to see that justice is done in this case and thereby protect the lives of all the people of this community."

Among those who have responded to Rev. Robinson are Dr. Cecil Marquez, A. P. Bourne-Van-neck, publisher of the New York Age; Dr. C. B. Powell, publisher of the Amsterdam News; Herbert Bruce, insurgent Democratic leader; Attorney Harrison Jackson and

Democratic Assemblyman Elijah Crump.

The Derrick Committee and the NAACP announced the holding of a giant mass meeting on Jan. 5.

The powerful Baptist Ministers Alliance, over the Christmas weekend, urged that all witnesses to the killing be given a chance to testify "so that an aroused public may know the truth." The statement was signed by Reverends Thomas Kilgore, Jr., and I. Logan Kearse.

From Jamaica, L. I., Guy R. Brewer, NAACP leader, released the text of a sharp letter to Mayor Vincent Impellitteri challenging him to keep his pledged word that "police brutality will not be tolerated in my administration." Brewer stated that the Mayor made such a pledge to him in a recent letter mailed prior to the elections. Brewer, a former Democratic leader in Harlem, was himself a victim of police brutality.

In addition to the killing, witnesses charge that nearly \$4,000 which Derrick had on his person "disappeared" after police searched his body. Police reports claim that the slain man had only \$57, the amount his relatives recovered.

## Philadelphians

(Continued from Page 2)

plan, and called it "one bright message in the paper."

"There are others," this letter declares "who agree with Dr. Hoon in his criticism of the excessive military policy of containment of Communism. . . . Dr. Hoon is making sense when he says "we need a fresh approach to our foreign policy."

The Inquirer quoted Dr. Hoon as declaring: "Let the President and Mr. Acheson and others of authority lay aside some of their pride and at a risk of seeming to be appeasers talk peace with Joe Stalin, either here, or at his own door."



## Speed Work On Capitol For 82d Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26. — A crew of workmen start a race against the clock tomorrow in an effort to get the Capitol in shape for the incoming Congress.

They will be driving down the homestretch on a \$5,000,000 re-decorating job on the Senate and House chambers.

Capitol architect David Lynn said today that the job will be finished by Jan. 3, when the 82d Congress convenes.

# Open the Prison Doors

An Editorial

IN ELOQUENT AND HEARTFELT words, Peggy Dennis, wrote an Open Letter last Sunday to President Truman urging that he grant amnesty to the many political prisoners now in jail this holiday season.

Eugene Dennis, General Secretary of the Communist Party, is in jail for no crime: only because he refuses to sell his conscience for his freedom. "You could grant amnesty to these many political prisoners," Peggy Dennis told the President, "without committing yourself on the merits of the issues in these cases. You could act in the spirit of Christmas. But you didn't."

Here are some of the names of the brave men and women locked behind prison bars today as we celebrate the season and the turn to the new year:

Eugene Dennis, the Hollywood writer Carl Marzani, the noble and heroic Mrs. Rosa Lee Ingram, mother of 12

children; Willie McGee, the Martinsville Seven, the Trenton Six, Haywood Patterson again facing police persecution; Helen Bryan, Ernestina Fleischman, Lieut. Leon Gilbert in a Korea military prison, and many others, especially Negroes doomed to life terms or long years in jail for defending themselves or resisting "white supremacy" violence.

To paraphrase the words of Gene Debs, great Socialist fighter, as long as these victims are in prison we are not free. We must exert every demand for amnesty. What men like Dennis went to jail for is now seen to be patriotic truth by millions. Dennis spoke out for peace, for the Negro people, and the un-Americans jailed him.

We urge that wires be sent to President Truman today urging he open the jail doors for the men and women who have been torn from their families or framed by Negro-haters.

# 32 Notables Head Big List In McCarran Repeal Drive

## Sabath Introduces Bill To Repeal McCarran Act

Daily Worker Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Rep. Adolph Sabath (D-Ill.) has introduced a bill to repeal the McCarran Act, his office revealed today. The repealer was dropped into the hopper Friday, it was said.

## 'Small Business' Group Bared as Wall St. Front

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A House committee investigating lobbying today accused the so-called Conference of American Small Business Organizations of acting as an undercover front in pressuring for laws favorable to big business.

A report by the committee, headed by Rep. Frank Buchanan, (D-Pa.) said the conference tried to hide details of its financial support by encouraging contributions of less than \$500. Such contributions do not have to be reported in detail under Federal law.

The conference urged large concerns to buy membership by cloaking contributions in the names of office or district manager whose associations are not reported, the committee reported.

"The conference has sought and in some cases obtained . . . financial support from interests that do

not fit into any reasonable concept of small business," the report said.

It added that conference chairman Fred A. Virkuk of Chicago, in appealing for such support, "has emphasized its interests in legislative matters in which big business as such cannot come out in the open."

"As for Casbo's claim that it voices the 'deliberated opinion' of small business, its methods of ascertaining and formulating such opinion, sometimes through loaded questionnaires, prepared resolutions and otherwise, should make the congress wary of any figures which Casbo offers."

Formation of a national committee to repeal the McCarran Act was announced yesterday by 32 prominent Americans, including two Nobel Prize winners, six bishops, and leading educators and scientists. They have already been joined by over 1,000 others from every state and District of Columbia.

Among the initiators of the committee are Nobel Prize winners Emily Greene Balch and Thomas Mann; Methodist Bishop James C. Baker and Bishop W. J. Walls of the A.M.E. Zion Church; Frank Rosenblum, Secretary-Treasurer, Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO; Frank Aydelotte, Institute of Advanced Studies, Princeton University; Dr. John A. Mackay, president, Princeton Theological Seminary; and Pierre van Paassen, Unitarian clergyman and author.

Committee spokesmen John B. Thompson, dean, Rockefeller Memorial Chapel, University of Chicago, and Robert Morris Lovett, former acting governor of the Virgin Islands, explained that the committee grew out of countless letters since its passage urging them to lead a movement for repeal.

### McCarran Results

"The hysteria and intimidation the law has evoked in the two months since its passage," Thompson and Lovett said, "have strengthened the opposition of those who were against its passage and have opened the eyes of many who were not fully aware of the dangers of such repressive legislation."

"The present situation holds three most hopeful prospects," they added.

"First is the repeal measure introduced by Rep. Adolph Sabath

(D-Ill.) We shall launch a campaign on Congress for full support of this measure.

"Second, we hail the recent actions of important national organizations in favor of repeal (the National Convention of the CIO; the American Federationist, official organ of the AFL; the League of United Synagogues; the American Civil Liberties Union; and many others.) These actions, together with the heartening response over 1,000 prominent Americans from 48 states and the District of Columbia who have joined in sponsoring our committee, encourage us to believe that this shameful law can be erased from the books by demand of the American people.

"Finally, our faith in the unconstitutionality of the Act is confirmed by the recent Supreme Court decision in the case of *Blau vs. the United States*, which proves

that the registration provisions of the McCarran Law cannot be enforced. We are convinced that the American people realize that the preservation of the Bill of Rights is their responsibility and that they will therefore join us in demanding the repeal of this infamous Act."

### OTHER INITIATORS

The other initiators of the committee are Dr. Abe Cronbach, Hebrew Union College; Prof. G. A. Borgese, University of Chicago; Prof. Zachariah Chafee, Jr., Harvard University; Dr. Mark A. Dawber, former executive secretary, Home Missions Council of North America; Mrs. Welthy Honsinger Fisher, chairman, World Day of Prayer Committee, United Council of Church Women; Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, Episcopal Bishop of Oregon; Dr. Edwin T. Dahlberg, Delmar Baptist Church,

(Continued on Page 9)

## 3 RALLIES TONIGHT TO GREET COMMUNIST PARLEY

Three rallies for peace and freedom to greet the National Convention of the Communist Party of the United States will be held tonight, in New York, Brooklyn and Bronx counties.

In Manhattan, at Rockland Palace, 155 St. and Eighth Ave., major speakers will include Gus Hall, Benjamin J. Davis, Claudia Jones, Bernadette Doyle and Joseph Bucholt.

In Brooklyn the main speakers will be Robert Thompson, Pettis Perry, Bernadette Doyle, William Schneiderman and Selma Weiss.

In the Bronx, at Hunts Point Palace, 953 Southern Boulevard, speakers will be Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, Gus Hall, Henry Winston, Bernadette Doyle, Roosevelt Ward and John Williamson.

## Detroiters Concerned Over Haywood Patterson Arrest

By William Allan

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—Michigan citizens are deeply concerned with the recent arrest of Haywood Patterson on a charge of "murder," which climaxes a life-time of persecution by the police. Patterson was one of the nine Scottsboro Negro youths framed by Alabama authorities back in the thirties on a phony charge of "rape."

The people in Michigan know the record of frame-ups and beatings of Negro citizens by the police of this city.

People here point to the fact that Patterson was the centre of a fight against extradition to Alabama here last summer that prevented the State of Michigan authorities from granting an okay to Alabama authorities to take Patterson back to Kilby prison, from which he had escaped after serving 19 years because of the notorious frameup.

It is also noted that Patterson was not sought by Detroit police until Dec. 8 despite the fact the alleged stabbing which resulted in the death of William Mitchell took place Dec. 16. The police now claim they have five eye-witnesses.

On the morning of the stabbing, police learned that Patterson was to be a witness at the prosecutor's office for a Negro woman who filed charges that city police had beaten her in a neighborhood bar come two weeks before.

It is now learned that the deceased Mitchell, while being rush-

ed to the hospital, was in a car that en route was involved in a accident.

Patterson last Friday stood mute before Recorder's Court judge George Murphy. A writ of habeas corpus was denied. He was quoted in the press as saying that he was not in the bar when the stabbing took place. He is held on a charge of "first degree murder."

Patterson is represented by a local attorney obtained by his sister who lives here.

The Civil Rights Congress is conducting an investigation.

### POINT OF ORDER

## McArthur's Latest

By Alan Max

After reading MacArthur's latest communique, it seems that MacArthur's "Christmas" offensive was the best planned move in all military history; it would have been disastrous NOT to have launched it; this way we found out the intentions of the Chinese and there was no other possible way we could have found out their intentions—except, of course, by listening to what the Chinese themselves had told us would happen if we menaced their border.



# The Speech That Was Banned at UN

## 6. Volunteers Against Aggression

Ambassador Wu Hsui-chuan, head of the delegation of the Chinese People's Republic, came to the United States prepared to press charges of aggression in Taiwan (Formosa) against the U. S. Government. Ambassador Wu was prevented from making his charges before the United Nations Political Committee by the intrigues of the U. S. delegation. As a result, the speech that Ambassador Wu was ready to deliver was to all practical purposes censored at the UN. The capitalist press, which also received copies of the speech, refused to print it. Following is the final installment of the speech:

THE CHINESE PEOPLE understand fully and correctly the whole implication of the constant provocations against China by the United States armed forces which are committing armed aggression simultaneously against Taiwan and Korea. The aggressor who has invaded Korea is exactly the aggressor who invaded Taiwan. They understand that once the aggressor in Korea completes its aggression against Korea, its next step will be inevitably a further aggression against the mainland of China.

China is the only country

which has a common border of 500 kilometers with Korea. The people of China and the people of Korea have always in history relied upon each other. The aggressor who invades Korea today invariably invades China tomorrow. This is what imperialist Japan did 55 years ago. This is what the American imperialists are doing now, only proceeding with a greater speed. Hence, the Chinese people, in their resistance against the United States aggression on Taiwan, are rendering help on a voluntary basis to the Korean

people to resist the aggressive actions of the United States.

Such actions are not only irreproachable, but wholly rightful. Such actions are not only a help rendered to their neighbor, but also an act of defense of their own homeland.

It is the American imperialist aggressors and their accomplices who have committed armed aggression against Taiwan and Korea. The actions of the Chinese people of rendering voluntary support to the Korean people in their resistance to the aggression of United States Government, are rightful deeds

aimed at opposing intervention and aggression.

So long as the criminal acts of intervention and aggression on the part of the United States aggressors and their accomplices continue, the rightful struggle of the Chinese people and the Korean people against intervention and aggression will never cease, no matter how the United States aggressors and their accomplices try to pervert the truth, to cheat and deceive.

THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS have come 5,000 miles (Continued on Page 10)

# 30,000 in Shipyards Defy Wage Freeze-Demand a 19c Hike

SEATTLE, Dec. 26.—Despite the union-busting and wage-freeze aspects of President Truman's national emergency proclamation, representatives of 20,000 to 30,000 coast shipyard workers have moved to press wage demands of 19 cents an hour. Spearheaded by the Seattle AFL Metal Trades Council, the wage drive took on a coastwide character after the Puget Sound Shipbuilders Association rejected the local council's demands for immediate wage sessions. The employer group asserted it could not bargain on a local basis under terms of the Pacific Coast master agreement.

Seattle Metal Trades Secretary M. E. McLaren said he was arranging a coastwide meeting with western shipyard owners.

In San Francisco, Thomas Rettell, secretary of the Pacific Coast AFL Metal Trades Council said the council was studying the steel formula (around 18 cents) but would probably decide on a considerably higher demands.

An estimated 20,000 to 30,000 workers on new ship construction and ship repair in yards at Seattle, Portland, Tacoma, Everett, Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego and San Pedro are affected by the 19 cents an hour demand, McLaren said.

McLaren said the unions are determined to prevent a repetition of the wage inequities that plagued shipyard workers throughout World War as a result of wage stabilization.

It was not clear what effect this strike would have on the wage battle of the Coast shipyard workers. Employers here asserted earlier this week they would meet with metal trades unions on a coastwide basis only if the Machinists re-

turned to work, but McLaren expressed confidence a meeting could be arranged.

In another development, the National Labor Relations Board denied petitions by the Machinists and by ALF Shipwrights Local 1184 seeking status as separate bargaining units in the Seattle yards.

Both parent unions, the International Association of Machinists

and the AFL Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners have refused for two years to be parties to the Coast agreement.

Business agent John B. Wigen of Local 1184 said "great dissatisfaction with the wage situation" had been the cause of the break-away.

Both machinists and shipwrights asked a rehearing on the adverse NLRB ruling.

## Report Korea Skirmishes Above Seoul

Skirmishes were reported yesterday between patrols of the Korean People's army and MacArthur's troops south of the 38th parallel, according to press dispatches from Tokyo. The skirmishes were all the way along the 140-mile waist of Korea.

Front dispatches for the first time reported brushes in the east coast area across from Seoul. There were also small probing actions by the Korean People's Army 28 miles north of Seoul and 24 miles northwest of Seoul.

Puppet President Syngman Rhee said his "government" had no intention of leaving, and he was confident the city was secure. But only a day earlier the National Assembly and many government offices decided to move to Pusan.

## 4 T-H Cases in High Court

By Federated Press

Four cases involving the Taft-Hartley Act's so-called secondary boycott ban have reached the nation's highest tribunal.

The Supreme Court has agreed to review four decisions interpreting the provision of the Taft-Hartley Act which prohibits unions from "inducing or encouraging" employees to stop work for certain purposes declared to be unlawful such as forcing one employer to stop doing business with another.

Originally decided by the National Labor Relations Board, the cases later came before Federal appeals courts for enforcement or review.

Two of the cases involve one of the most important questions in the field of labor law: whether or not the boycott ban outlaws primary picketing. This question arises in the following situation. It is common practice that when a union sets up a picket line at the premises of an employer with whom it has a dispute, employees of other employers not involved, for example, suppliers of the struck employer, will refuse to cross the picket line.

The labor board takes the position that the Taft-Hartley Act does not ban picketing under such circumstances. The board's view is supported by the court of appeals for the District of Columbia, but another Federal court of ap-

peals having jurisdiction over the southern states takes the contrary view, holding that such picketing is prohibited by the Taft-Hartley Act. The Supreme Court will have to resolve this conflict.

Obviously, if the view is to be taken that a picket line is illegal solely because employees of another concern not involved choose to respect that picket line and refuse to cross it there will be very few situations in which unions will be allowed to picket at all. But under the Taft-Hartley Act, that is a possible outcome of these cases.

The other two cases involve construction projects. They involve situations where a general contractor has brought non-union employees of a non-union subcontractor on the job and the union has picketed the job. Naturally as a result of the picketing all the employees on the project then leave the job.

It is difficult to see a distinction between this situation and the one where employees of a supplier have refused to cross a picket line since obviously the union is doing nothing more than picketing the project where non-union labor is employed.

But the labor board has made a distinction and has prohibited the picketing in these cases. Two Federal courts of appeals have agreed with the board. The court of appeals for the District of Col-

umbia, consistent with its ruling in the other situation has held that this picketing is perfectly lawful under the act.

This conflict among the Federal courts of appeals will also have to be resolved by the Supreme Court. Obviously an adverse decision by the Supreme Court will make it impossible for unions to take any action on construction projects where some of the sub-contractors are union and some are non-union.

Another important issue involved in these cases is whether the so-called "free speech" provision of the Taft-Hartley Act or the First Amendment to the Constitution protect peaceful picketing even if such picketing involves a boycott. The labor board and all of the Federal appeals courts whose decisions are involved hold that such picketing is not protected.

Prior to Supreme Court decisions within the past year it would have appeared that peaceful picketing was protected by the First Amendment but the most recent Supreme Court cases on this subject have virtually destroyed the First Amendment protection for peaceful picketing since the Supreme Court has held that peaceful picketing can be prohibited wherever a court finds that the purpose of the peaceful picketing has been against some public policy, as declared by the court.

## City Threatens Sales Tax Hike

By Michael Singer

The committee headed by Mayor Impellitteri and including Comptroller Joseph and Budget Director Patterson studying revision of city salaries is expected to recommend to the Board of Estimate this week a sales tax increase to meet the costs of a general pay rise for 200,000 municipal workers.

It was learned that the committee will propose a City Council measure to the State Legislature for powers to raise the current 2 percent sales tax to 3 percent. Such a tax would yield approximately \$200,000,000, some \$65,000,000 above the \$132 million yielded in the fiscal year which ended last July 1.

The added burden to the cost of living, which would fall most heavily on the workers and particularly the Negro people, is but one of many "outs" Mayor Impellitteri is considering to meet demands for across-the-board city raises.

It is known, for instance, that he contemplates a rise in the business tax, the consumer use tax and possibly imposition of such legislative-approved levies as the vending, patent medicine and restaurant taxes. While such levies are, in the main, most burdensome to middle-class, small business and out-of-town residents who do business in New York City, the cost of these levies would inevitably be passed on to low-income consumers and wage-earners.

The most menacing tax is, of course, the sales tax. That such a tax is far beyond the pay demands of the workers is seen in the fact that a \$500 general salary increase would cost only \$60,000,000 which could be met by an equitable estimation of the city budget's carry-over for 1952. Comptroller Joseph already has a \$27,000,000 "reserve" for next year and this is based on the most conservative revenue estimates for the Expense Budget.

It will probably be closer to \$40,000,000.

The mayor's committee is also expected to act on recommendations for salary increases to the Board of Education personnel which, according to state provisions, is required to grant \$3,700,000 more for public school teachers next year.

## Philadelphians

(Continued from Page 2)

plan, and called it "one bright message in the paper."

"There are others," this letter declares "who agree with Dr. Hoon in his criticism of the excessive military policy of containment of Communism. . . . Dr. Hoon is making sense when he says "we need a fresh approach to our foreign policy."

The Inquirer quoted Dr. Hoon as declaring: "Let the President and Mr. Acheson and others of authority lay aside some of their pride and at a risk of seeming to be appeasers talk peace with Joe Stalin, either here, or at his own door."

## Leading Soviet Geographer Dies

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The death of Lev Berg, 75, leading Soviet geographer and president of the All-Union Geographical Society, was announced by Radio Moscow today.

The broadcast lauded Berg as an "outstanding Soviet scientist." It said he was the author of 500 monographs, books and articles and winner of two geographical society gold medals plus other orders of medals.

He was a specialist on Eastern Russia and the Bering Strait.

## Daily Worker

Published daily except Saturday and Sunday by the Freedom of the Press Co., Inc., 50 E. 13th St., New York 3, N. Y. Telephone ALgonquin 4-7954.

Registered as second class matter Oct. 23, 1947, at the post office at New York, N. Y., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES			
(Except Manhattan, Bronx, Queens and Foreign)			
	5 mos.	6 mos.	1 year
Daily Worker & The Worker	\$3.75	\$6.75	\$12.00
Daily Worker Only	3.00	5.75	10.00
The Worker	1.50	2.50	5.00
(Manhattan and Bronx)			
Daily Worker & The Worker	\$4.00	\$7.50	\$14.00
Daily Worker Only	3.25	6.50	12.00
The Worker	1.50	2.50	5.00



# CRC Sets Up Body to Defend Union Rights

By Robert Friedman

A major step in American labor's fight to preserve civil rights has been taken with the formation of the Labor Advisory Committee to the Civil Rights Congress. Established at a conference of trade union leaders last week, the Labor Advisory Committee marks the first time, in recent history, that a group of trade unionists have organized for the specific purpose of coordinating activity to defend the rights of organized labor as well as of individual unionists victimized by political persecution and racial discrimination.

One of the first acts of the new group is to issue, in an initial printing of 20,000, a postcard addressed to Attorney General J. Howard McGrath and urging him to drop the pending contempt cases against the leaders of the United Electrical Workers, Longshoremen & Warehousemen's Union, and other unionists, on the basis of the Supreme Court's unanimous decision reversing the verdict in the Denver case of Patricia Blau. The cards, to be circulated among and mailed by unionists, also urges McGrath to assist in putting a halt to the "persecution of foreign born union leaders such as Harry Bridges, Ferdinand Smith, Irving Potash and scores of others. The cards are available from the Labor Advisory Committee, 23 W. 26th Street.

On the agenda for the committee is a forthcoming meeting to plan a large delegated labor conference for civil rights to be held the first week of February.

## SUPPORT PROTESTS

The organizing meeting of the Labor Advisory Committee voted to support protests on the police murder of John Derrick, Negro ev-GI. The decision was preceded by an impassioned plea to the gathering by Ewart Guinier, secretary-treasurer of the United Public Workers, on the vital importance of Negro-white unity and the urgency of trade union support for the struggle for Negro rights.

The conference adopted a resolution condemning the "arrest of scores of trade unionists throughout the country," the "midnight raids against foreign born workers" as a result of the passage of the McCarran Act, and vowed to "join with all democratic Americans in the current effort to repeal" that "infamous and unconstitutional" measure. It saw in the arrest, and in some cases conviction and the threat of deportation of union leaders like Bridges, Smith, Potash and others a "direct blow against the living conditions and democratic rights of organized labor."

The conference to establish the Labor Advisory Committee was called by Leon Strauss, executive secretary of the Furriers Joint Board, and Nat Ross, executive secretary of the New York State CRC. Elected to the provisional Labor Advisory Committee, with Strauss, were Abe Weisburd of the Furriers; Ferdinand C. Smith, executive secretary of the Harlem Trade Union Council; Sam Winn of the painters union; Sol Rein-stein of the shoe workers; Belle Baylinson of United Electrical Workers Local 430, and Al Couch of the Marine Cooks & Stewards.

The new group, the conference agreed, will advise and counsel the CRC on questions pertaining to the defense of labor's rights; service trade unions with information on such questions; issue literature, establish a speakers bureau and assist, in particular cases, with legal advice, etc.

The founding conference also heard David Scribner, general counsel for UE, an analyses of the "contempt" cases and the high



STRAUSS  
Called Labor Rights Parley

court ruling, and Louis Weinstock, veteran painters' leader, who recalled to the assemblage the great contribution made to the defense of labor rights by the old International Labor Defense and continued today by the CRC.

Participating in the conference were members and/or officials of the Harlem Trade Union Council; Paperhangers Union; Painters & Decorators; Marine Cooks & Stewards; Dining Car Employees; Shoe Workers; Labor Conference for Peace; United Public Workers; United Electrical Workers; United Labor Committee to Defeat Taft-Hartley, and others.

## Carolina CP Parley Pushes Peace Drive

By Junius Scales

RALEIGH, N.C., Dec. 26.—How to organize the existing peace sentiment was the highlight of an inspiring convention held here recently by the Carolina District of the Communist Party.

Delegates gathered from many cities throughout the two states. Industrial workers made up about 40 percent of the total of delegates. Fifty percent were Negroes and 35 percent were women. Several Negro women delegates attended from the black belt areas of the Carolinas. One Negro delegate traveled all night long to reach the convention on time.

Reports and discussion centered around plans for the broadest kind of peace struggle, the fight against white chauvinism and the strengthening of the Party organization. A representative of the National Office of the Communist Party brought greetings from the National Committee and emphasized the importance of combining the struggle for Negro rights with the peace fight.

A representative district committee and two delegates to the National Convention were elected.

Greetings were sent from the convention to the Communist Party's National Committee, including National Chairman William Z. Foster and imprisoned General Secretary Eugene Dennis, and to Southern Regional Secretary James Jackson.

GREET THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF  
THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U. S. A.

at

# Rallies for Peace and Freedom

ALL MEETINGS

TONIGHT, DECEMBER 27th - 8 P.M.

MANHATTAN:

## ROCKLAND PALACE\*

155th Street and 8th Avenue

ADMISSION 60 CENTS

**Speakers:** GUS HALL  
BEN DAVIS  
CLAUDIA JONES  
BERNADETTE DOYLE

BROOKLYN:

**Speakers:** ROBERT THOMPSON  
PETTIS PERRY  
BERNADETTE DOYLE  
WILLIAM SCHNEIDERMAN

Entertainment

BRONX:

## HUNTS POINT PALACE

953 Southern Boulevard

**Speakers:** HENRY WINSTON  
ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN  
JOHN WILLIAMSON  
BERNADETTE DOYLE  
ROOSEVELT WARD

Go to the Meeting Nearest Your Home

\* This meeting was originally scheduled at the Golden Gate. All tickets for the Golden Gate will be honored at Rockland Palace.



## Around the Globe

By Joseph Starobin

### Hypocrisy in The White House

THERE IS a cynical phrase—born of 100 years experience with the hypocrisies of capitalism—that God is always on the side of the biggest battalions. The rulers of every nation (until the coming of Socialism) always claimed to have acted under the guidance of a Divine Providence whenever peoples were periodically led to slaughter. The builders of empires—on the bones of millions of colonial peoples—always pretended to be doing the Lord's bidding; the record of imperialism is a systematic and violent taking of the Lord's name in vain—from the days when Africa was ravaged for the slave-trade to the present demonstration of how devoutly Korea is laid waste with bombs and jellied gasoline. So it was in the first world war, too. Each ruling class vied in doing the Lord's work. The Prince of Peace was placed in a contradictory and humiliating position, an example of how the capitalist class shifts responsibility for its crimes not only upon the common people but the Divinity as well.



TRUMAN is therefore carrying on the ignoble tradition when he devotes his Christmas Day message to the old idea that "Communism is godless," and promises that the crusade in which "we are all joined" will be absolutely anointed.

Only the day before, speaking from Kansas City, the President proclaimed that "the Communists" are the inheritors of the Genghis Khan and Tamerlane tradition; by contrast, Truman traced his own creed to the valleys of Mesopotamia, to the days of Hammurabi, to Moses and Christ.

ALL THIS very unoriginal stuff opens up some interesting train of thought.

The idea that "Asiatic hordes" are menacing western civilization from Mongolia is only a reflection of the typical contempt for the peoples of Asia which William Randolph Hearst and his kind have spread for generations. But what happens, Mr. Truman, in western Europe? Are the millions of French and Italian Communists, most of them born Catholics and very much part of the West—are they "Mongolians," too?

And just what happens to the historical analogies when Turkish armies are employed under Gen. Douglas MacArthur in Korea? Did not the Turks threaten western civilization at the Danube even more recently than Genghis Khan?

A little history, you see, is a dangerous thing. It does not sit very well to ally yourself with the Nazi General Staff (only yesterday, the modern Attilas) and to send an ambassador to Francisco Franco, who defeated the Spanish Republic with the help of the same Moors that had been ousted from Spain by the Christians . . . and then to point a finger at the so-called Mongolians. Neither the Chinese nor the Russians are Mongolians, after all. Such half-baked history makes little impression beyond Kansas City.

AS FOR Wall Street's attempt to "corner" the Lord Almighty, it is rather late for that, and beside the point. For the Truman crusade will not be against Communism, after all: it will be against peace-loving Frenchmen and Italians and Russians and Poles and many other peoples who need no baptism from Truman. The idea that the Americans will be distributing the cross with the atom bomb against the heathens of Europe is ridiculous. There are probably more church-goers behind the so-called Curtain than there are in our country.

But that is only part of it. Church-goers or not, who is dedicated to high moral ideals, after all—those who want peace and a better life for the average man, or those who prepare war and know only how to manage society for their own profit?

MAYBE it would be better to give up the search for historical precedents that only reflect a jimcrow mentality toward the rest of the world: humanity is sick and tired of a Readers' Digest conception of history, especially from the President of the United States.

As for God, it would be more appropriate to leave Him out of it, especially during the holiday season. The effort to draft Jesus Christ into universal military service is in very, very bad taste. After all, the Sermon on the Mount was not a letter to the Washington Post's music critic.

VIRGIL

By Lem Kleis



## Letters from Readers

### Prayers

#### Not Enough

Editor, Daily Worker:  
Maria Trapp, leader of the world famous Trapp Family choristers, declared last week: "Peace on earth—good will to men" will be possible if we all come together and spread good will. Peace will not come through prayers. You cannot grow apples unless you plant an apple tree. It won't help to pray for apples. You can't grow apples on a pine tree. Every-

one must spread good will."

This was during an interview over the Mary Margaret McBride program heard locally over WJZ—and the American Broadcasting network. Miss Trapp reported on the recent trip of the Chorus to Austria, her homeland, where all the stores are filled with goods but the prices are prohibitive. She spoke earnestly of peace as an attainable goal and indicated her listeners must do more than pray for it. A.B.

## Press Roundup

THE NEWS sneaks in an insidious plug for fascism which sounds an alarm bell for every American. Under the guise of opposing fascism, the paper proposes "fighting every proposed fascist measure which will not contribute to the defense program." This carefully-worded editorial, with its repeated acceptance of the term, fascism, is intended to soften up the public, to convince people that we should swallow those elements of fascism which "contribute" to America's defense.

THE MIRROR'S Drew Pearson quotes the "new price boss," Michael Di Salle, on his impressions of Washington: "What puzzles me is, with all these brains around, how did we get ourselves into such a jam?"

THE HERALD TRIBUNE'S Walter Lippmann, taking issue with Herbert Hoover, believes "there is no reason whatever why we should regard Western Europe as lost, why we should treat our solemn guarantees in the Atlantic Pact as now invalid. . . ."

THE POST has its first honest front-page headline in the memory of mortals: "Snow All Day." Usually, when the Post runs one of its standard huge headlines like "Reds Murder All Grandmothers," it covers itself with a tiny line above, reading: "Joe Bloof Says." So, just out of habit, today's headline is topped with: "Weather Bureau Says" . . . By a quaint coincidence, the current Post anti-labor columnist Murray Kemp-

ton and his predecessor Victor Riesel (now a Mirror columnist), scream for the firing of UE members employed by General Electric. Why, says Kempton, a member of the "pro-Communist American Labor Party" has "ready access to GE's general engineering laboratory." Will Mr. Kempton let us know when he transfers to the Journal-American?

THE COMPASS' Mark Strange reports from Milan: "After three years of U. S. aid, Italy is in a worse economic state than in 1948."

THE JOURNAL-AMERICAN says that Dixiecrat James Byrnes and Franco-lover James Farley are going to rescue the Democratic Party from the "Leftist" Mr. Truman.

THE WORLD-TELEGRAM'S Eleanor Roosevelt is disturbed because the Chinese delegates "wished the people of the U. S. a Merry Christmas and tried to separate them entirely from their government; they did not wish the U. S. Government a Merry Christmas." This shows, says she, "how little these leaders of Communist China understand that the government of a democratic state cannot be separated from the people." What this shows, on the contrary, is that the shrewd Mrs. Roosevelt understands, and is alarmed, at the fact that increasing millions of Americans are rejecting a war-bent, police state-minded government, both Democrats and Republicans, as one which is not identified with their interests. —R.F.

## World of Labor

By George Morris

### Time the Railroad Unions Were Really Brotherhoods

A BRAZEN EXAMPLE of the way our law makers of both parties play football with the civil rights issue was demonstrated earlier this month during the little-noticed Senate passage of a bill permitting railroad unions to ask for a union shop and checkoff on the same terms that those rights are granted under the Taft-Hartley Law. Collective bargaining on the railroads is hamstrung by the Railway Labor Act, under which a union shop vote and checkoff are not provided.

A group of Republicans, noted for their hatred of anything progressive, especially civil and union rights, and most especially the union shop, voted for an amendment submitted by Senator Jenner of Indiana, that would bar the union shop to a railroad union if it excluded persons on account of race, creed or color; or segregated members on such grounds; or banned them from bargaining rights or in any other way discriminated against them.



These Republicans mustered only 17 votes. But 23 Republicans joined the Dixiecrats and "liberal" Democrats to a total of 64 to defeat the amendment. In the latter groups were all the familiar "friends of labor," especially those who shout loudest for the "freedom" of peoples outside our own borders.

THE SUPPORTERS of the Jenner amendment really had no objective but to scuttle the union shop bill and at the same time put the Democrats on "the spot" with their supporters in union ranks. The opponents of the amendment included the Dixiecrats, those who opposed any kind of union shop bill, and the "friends of labor." The "friends of labor" invariably express their support for civil rights measures, but just as surely always manage to discover that "at this time" or "in this case" or as an amendment, proposals for such rights are "out of place." Civil rights proposals are always sidetracked on the claim that they hold up some "bigger" matter.

It is also significant that the proposal introduced by Jenner was sponsored by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and a number of unions of Negro railroad workers—unions exclusively of Negro railroadmen because the lily white Brotherhoods refuse to admit their members. The AFL and CIO did not join with the NAACP for such an amendment. The AFL and CIO shout loudly for an FEPC but when it comes to demanding it within labor unions, they shrink from the action.

The familiar argument is that the bulk of the organized railroad workers should not be deprived of the right for a union shop because their unions exclude a minority of Negro trainmen, firemen and engineers. Some labor leaders tell us that the battle against white supremacy is hard and long and takes a great deal of "education" and that we should show patience and tolerance toward "conservative" people like those in the misnamed Brotherhoods. That advice turns into nonsense when it is realized that it is the OLDEST of the unions that are still so abusive of the rights of Negro workers as to specifically bar them by constitutional provisions.

Education against race supremacy influences is and always will be needed in ALL unions, including the most progressive. But the Civil War has been over for 85 years. How long can organizations call themselves "Brotherhoods" and shout for all sorts of freedoms and still operate under the banner of the Confederacy?

It is time both the leaders and members of the railroad unions realized that they cannot expect basic rights for their organizations while they deny them to fellow workers on the railroads, and do so despite even U. S. and State Supreme Court rulings. I advisedly include the members, because the rank and file of those unions also bear some responsibility for insufficient pressure upon their leaders for elimination of the disgraceful "Caucasian" clauses.

It took years of strong pressure and sharp battles at a number of conventions before the Machinists' union dropped the clause. The amendment sponsored by the NAACP and the Negro railroad unions should have been supported by the AFL and CIO and by all Senators who say they want civil rights legislation. It would have stimulated more education in the railroad unions in a few months than they had on the subject of white supremacy for half a century. Even the leaders would have "learned" fast, in the interest of the union shop and the dues checkoff.

**COMING: A New Emancipation Proclamation . . . By John Pittman . . . In the weekend Worker**



# Daily Worker

PUBLISHED DAILY EXCEPT SATURDAY  
and SUNDAY BY THE FREEDOM OF THE  
PRESS CO., Inc., 50 East 13th St., New  
York 3, N. Y. Telephone ALgonquin 4-7854.  
Cable Address "Dailywork," New York, N. Y.

President—Benjamin J. Davis, Jr.; Secretary-Treas.—Howard C. Boldt  
John Gates Editor  
Milton Howard Associate Editor  
Alan Max Managing Editor  
Rob F. Hall Washington Editor  
Philip Bart General Manager

Daily Worker, New York, Wednesday, December 27, 1950

## More War in Korea?

(Continued from Page 1)

never did us any harm, who seek only freedom to decide their own lives without outside interference?

Former Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes calls (New Republic, Dec. 25) for a Congressional investigation of the entire Korean adventure. He urges the immediate recall of MacArthur as a militarist pushing us into costly decisions that have no end.

When all the facts are out, the Korean mess will be seen by the nation to be one of the worst scandals ever committed against the United States and its people by a clique which seeks another world war no matter what the cost.

Let the country halt whatever new military lunacies MacArthur is cooking up! Let us leave Korea to the Koreans. Let us seat People's China in the UN and quit Chinese Taiwan (Formosa). We have no business in these territories of other countries. There is not a single reason why a single American boy should die attempting to seize or hold them against the will of their people.

## Now It's Drew Pearson

THE WITCHHUNT HAS REACHED DREW PEARSON now. This reactionary radio commentator is going to lose his contract with the Adam Hat Co. because Senator McCarthy threatened a boycott against the company, saying Pearson "follows the Communist or fellow-traveller line." When McCarthy points the finger, the axe starts to fall. The State Department trembles. It issues hurried memos to prove to the angry witchhunter that they deserve his confidence, since they follow his disastrous line. Big corporations hastily knife their hired actors, actresses, or commentators.

*Pearson and McCarthy are brothers-in-arms when it comes to whooping it up for war. But Pearson has made the fatal error of refusing to admire McCarthy. He has dared to note one or two minor scandals in the war machine. He has had the gall even to mention that our casualties in Korea were running very high.*

Could this "subversive" allusion to our ghastly casualty lists in Korea be tolerated by a McCarthy or an Adam Hat Co.?

SO PEARSON JOINS THE LIST that the Un-American Committee launched with the Hollywood Ten, with John Howard Lawson and Albert Maltz and their courageous colleagues. He joins the list that includes Paul Robeson, knifed for refusing to be thrilled by MacArthur's war in Korea. He joins the victim of the General Foods crackdown, Jean Muir, and scores of other victims of the notorious "Red Channels" and "Counter-Attack" blacklists.

The Daily News TV station will not televise Charlie Chaplin because a professional tough guy with a letterhead in New Jersey ordered them not to.

The list of victims grows all the time. It includes conservative professors teaching at the University of California for 40 years who won't sign a "pledge" never to criticize the pro-fascist California banker Giannini's Board of Regents.

CERTAIN LIBERALS SIGH WITH RELIEF that Anna Rosenberg—denounced by Rep. Rankin on the floor of Congress as "that Yiddish woman" without a word of rebuke from any of the knights of freedom assembled there—has been cleared by Sen. McCarthy.

They are willing to let this imitation-Nazi determine the political and moral standards of America. If McCarthy OK's you, you are "loyal."

This is where the "anti-Communist" witchhunt and thought control are dragging America! You can't have a "little anti-Communist witchhunt" that will stop halfway and not murder the Bill of Rights. When a Communist or any progressive is fired for his anti-war views, no one else is safe from this economic purge, which has no limits until all liberty is dead.

Masking its crackdown on the anti-war views of its staffs, Columbia Broadcasting System demands "loyalty oaths" of its employees, and stages comical "armed guards" at its radio machinery to make it look good! If we wear Adam Hats, is McCarthy to dictate what goes on in our heads?

The Red Scare turns America over to its worst enemies, of whom a McCarthy is a good specimen.

*There is a unity of interest among All Americans, regardless of their views, in the defense of our free speech from the rampant thought controllers. There should be unity of protest too.*

## FORBIDDEN NEWS



## People of U.S. Themselves Must Block Warmakers

(Following is a part of the remarks made by Simon W. Gerson, New York State legislative chairman, Communist Party, at the Kings County convention of the Communist Party Dec. 17.)

By Simon W. Gerson

A FEW WORDS ought to be said on the enormous pressure of ruling class ideology on the ranks of the working class and even on the progressive movement. I refer particularly to that theory which has come to be known as "exceptionalism." This theory,

in varying forms, was smuggled into the ranks of the Communist Party itself by Jay Lovestone and Earl Browder but was defeated. Due to many historical reasons which we cannot discuss tonight this theory has long existed in the ranks of the American working class and has continually been asserted and reasserted by the ruling class and its agents. It is today one of the principal ideological weapons of the American ruling class and is accepted consciously and unconsciously by millions in a variety of forms.

In essence, what is the theory of American exceptionalism?

Roughly speaking, it is the theory that somehow the United States is exempt from the general laws of operation of capitalism; that while Marxist laws may have validity for European capitalist countries they are not valid for the United States; that for "special" reasons American capitalism can overcome its inherent contradictions; and that this is "proven" by the so-called American standard of living, etc. etc.

From this underlying theory all manner of ideologists draw all manner of conclusions, the essence of which is that the class struggle is a "foreign importation," that there is no basis for the class struggle in the United States and that only the wicked Communists and a few other misguided souls believe there is a class struggle in the U. S.

OF COURSE, all American history disproves this nonsense. Recurrent booms and busts, continual and bitter struggle between workers and owners of the means of production—as well as the struggle of small farmers and the lower middle class against the trusts—are smashing refutations of America exceptionalism.

It is this theory which forms the ideological basis for the McCarran Act. It is under this theory that Attorney General J. Howard McGrath has submitted his petition to the Subversive Activities Control Board to compel the party to register as an agency of a foreign power. This is simply another expression of the slander that our party

has no roots in the American class struggle, that it is essentially an importation.

Even the slightest knowledge of the history of our party shatters this vicious canard. Our party arose out of the leftwing of the Socialist Party and the left currents in the American trade union movement.

In a general sense, its roots go back to the Civil War when American Communists served loyally as leaders and rank-and-filers in the Union armies to suppress the slaveowners' rebellion against the Union. The Communist Party was born out of the great movements for Socialism, for fighting trade unionism, and for the liberation of the Negro people.

Just as the American Revolution have a profound effect on the development of bourgeois democratic thought in the 18th Century, so the Russian Revolution had a profound effect on the socialist thought and organization in the 20th Century. It helped clarify the thinking of many Left Socialists and decisively accelerated the developing movement towards the formation of the Communist Parties throughout the world.

But it is clear that in a historical sense the roots of the Communist Party go back to long before 1917 or 1919, when it was founded, but to the origins of the American class struggle itself.

THIS SLANDER against the American party has its crude forms and is, of course, bound up with the entire, sustained campaign of the American ruling class against the socialist Soviet Union.

But while this bilge is easily recognizable, there are newer and more deceptive forms of exceptionalism. Sometimes they are expressed unconsciously in a lack of faith in the possibility that the peace forces of America can curb our own warmongers. Thus, some people may be loud in their applause of resistance to the warmakers by anti-imperialists elsewhere—but demonstrate in life itself, by their passivity in the American peace struggle,

belief in the inevitability of World War III and their disbelief in the ability of the American people to make the decisive contribution in defeating the warmaking foe at home.

Significantly enough, Earl Browder, who years ago broke with Marxism, is now in his own tricky way strengthening an FBI type of exceptionalism. In one of his latest pamphlets, he intimates that various Marxist parties, including by implication, the Communist Party of the United States, advocate foreign "military solutions" of the problems before their own peoples.

This, of course, is a first class gift to the Truman-Dewey war program and to the poisoning of the ideological atmosphere. It is a form of ideological assistance to the Department of Justice prosecution of the peace forces of America.

IT HAS NOTHING to do with Marxism. Marxists have always maintained that it is the task of the American working class and its allies to defeat our own warmongers. American Marxists have always studied and been inspired by the great teachings of Marxism-Leninism and the achievements of the Marxists of the world in the struggle against war, fascism and imperialism. But Marxists have always maintained that social progress in any given country must be the task of the people of that country and that neither peace, nor democracy, nor its highest form, socialism, can be a gift of another people to the American people.

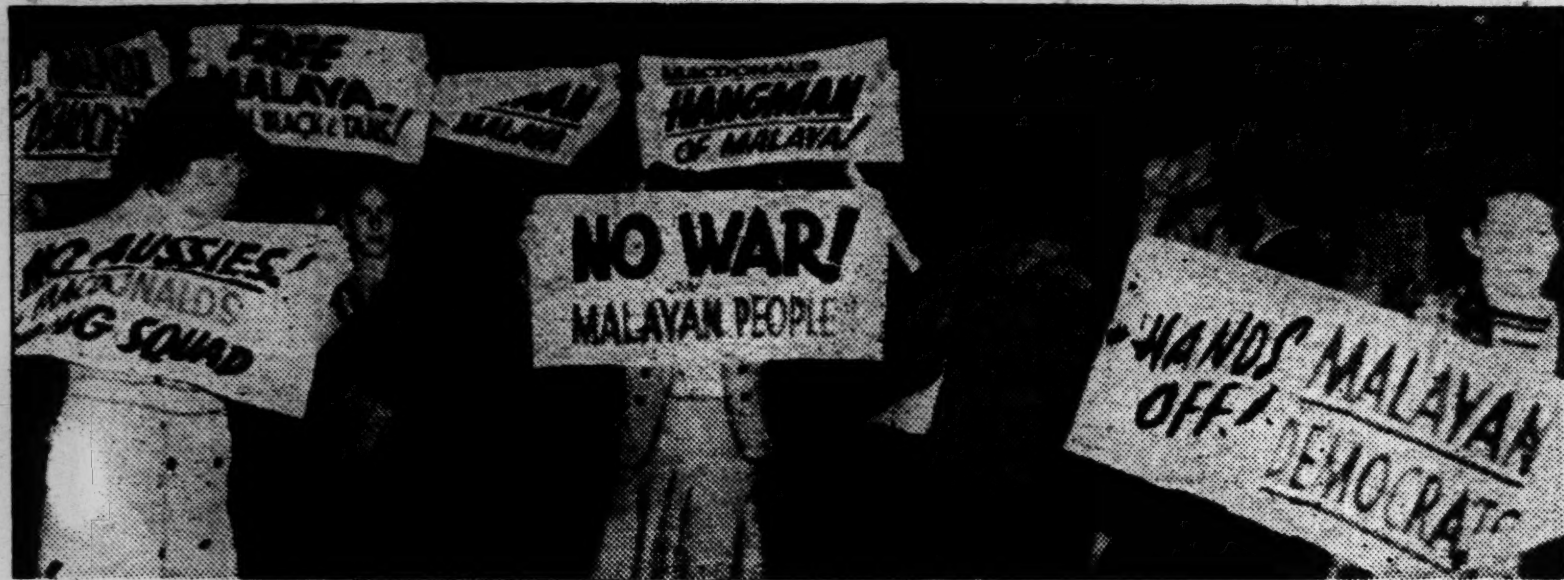
Thus, in our country the fight for peace is the special responsibility of the American workers and their allies. It will not be given to us as a gift by the Soviet people, the Chinese people, the Korean people, or any other people. Their magnificent struggles and particularly the fight of the Soviet Union for peace contribute to the general strength of the peace camp.

But the essential responsibility for defeating the Wall Street warmakers—and the essential possibility—lies right here in the

(Continued on Page 8)



# British Heat Up War On Malayan People



By Arthur Clegg

LONDON.—The war in Malaya is being intensified by the British authorities there. General Sir Harold Briggs, Director of Operations, was recently in London for talks, the aim of which was, according to The Times, principally to put Malaya "on a proper war footing."

He has now returned to Malaya to pursue the war with renewed fury.

The measures to be adopted include the strengthening of the War Council, the introduction of selective conscription for the police, "vigorous new measures for police and administrative recruitment and fresh drives against the Malayan people and their guerilla forces."

Links, too, have been officially established between the British military authorities in Malaya and the French invasion armies in Indo-China. American militarists have also been paying visits to British military establishments in Malaya.

Since June, 1948, war has been conducted against the Malayan people with increasing brutality.

## BAN UNIONS

It began when the British authorities declared illegal the Pan Malayan Federation of Trade Unions which embraced the vast bulk of the workers all over Malaya, the Malay National Party, the Malayan Communist Party, the women's, youths' and other democratic organizations.

They were not only declared illegal, but the order was given to arrest their leaders. When those leaders escaped to the jungle armed police were put on their trail. All who helped them were subject to punishment and persecution.

But the people of Malaya knew these hunted leaders were those who, with immense heroism, had led the struggle in Malaya against Japanese occupation.

Naturally they helped them and defended their persecuted organizations. And, naturally, when Malayan villages were attacked by the armed policemen on mere suspicion of aiding a trade unionist, and when village homes were burnt and despoiled, the villagers rose up in arms.

So British repression created the patriotic guerillas now vilified as "terrorists" and "bandits."

Constantly since 1948 the war against the Malayan people has been intensified and each intensification has been met by fiercer and stronger resistance from the Malayan people.

If ever you read or hear of some alleged atrocity committed by the "terrorists" then just remember the jet fighters and Lincoln bombers spreading death and destruction every day throughout Malaya.

## BURNED TO DEATH

Remember, too, the families burned to death with Napalm bombs and blasted with rocket-firing jets.

Remember the schools bomb-

ed, the villagers rendered homeless.

Remember the people in British concentration camps, the floggings to death by sadistic police in the jails of Singapore and Malaya.

Is it not those who sent the bombers, those who ordered the dropping of bombs, those who constructed the concentration camps who are the real terrorists in Malaya?

The British Colonial authorities think they are rather clever. They have hitherto directed the brunt of their persecution towards the Chinese section of the Malayan people.

Chinese newspapers have been suppressed for daring to print the statements of Chinese statesmen and the declarations of China's governing parties.

Chinese schools have been bombed, raided, searched and closed down. Their teachers have been arrested and their pupils persecuted because they possessed Chinese pamphlets and books.

In the countryside, 16 large Chinese villages have been laid waste, their people taken to concentration camps for courses of indoctrination in imperialist ideas and disciplined in those camps by the whip and solitary confinement.

The individual deportation of Chinese from Malaya, whether they nominally hold Malayan citizenship or not, has now developed into the mass deportation of Chinese.

Some 693 Chinese recently arrived at the port of Swatow in South-West China in one group alone. Most of them had been imprisoned before their deportation.

They told of numbers of Chinese people who had been killed in Malaya by flogging.

But do the colonial authorities think that the Malays and Indians who also live in Malaya are not Asians too?

## NATIONALIST PARTY

Then let them remember the Malay National Party, which also fights for a Malaya in which all sections of the people of that country can live in harmony and freedom without the fascist police terror of British colonial rule.

Let them remember the go-slow now being conducted by the Malayan railwaymen of all communities in Kuala Lumpur, the British capital.

Let them remember the demonstrations against the court decision to tear the unwilling Bertha Hetrogh from her husband and foster-mother.

Sir Harold Briggs, laden with instructions from London has returned to harry the Malayan people still further. There are

to be more bombings, more concentration camps (which are the essence of the so-called Briggs Plan), more police terror, more uprooting of villages and harrying and murder of Malayan patriots.

Yet each time the war in Malaya has been intensified Malayan resistance has been intensified.

The war against Malaya when it was begun was to be brief, we were told.

Yet at the end of 1949, despite the sending out of reinforcements, the bringing of police from Palestine, the sending out of men from Britain in every sort of capacity, the guerillas were stronger than before.

So bombers and jet fighters were sent out. But still the guerilla counter-attack increased.

## BOUND TO FAIL

Then Lieut.-General Sir Harold Briggs, equipped with the Briggs War Plan and overriding military powers and further reinforcements, went out to end the war with speed.

And within six months he and Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Commissioner-General, for South-East Asia, were back again in London pleading for more and wider powers to end the war.

For terrorism against a people is bound to fail.

China has increasingly said that she cannot tolerate the present persecution of the Chinese in Malaya.

The British government paid no heed to China's warnings that she could be indifferent to the American invasion of Korea. Let them then pay heed to China's warning about the war in Malaya.

For in all Far Eastern questions China speaks not for herself but for all Asia and all Asians.

## Rhee Sends Assembly To Pusan

SEOUL, Dec. 26.—The South Korean National Assembly voted today to withdraw to Pusan. Syngman Rhee had announced earlier he had told the Assembly members to flee to the south as soon as possible.

The municipal government was ordered to evacuate several thousand of its employees.

Rhee's minister of information said the government itself would remain in Seoul until driven out.

## Must Block Warmakers

(Continued from Page 7)  
strength, unity and understanding of the American working-class in the fight to reorient American foreign policy to one of peace and understanding with the Soviet Union, the new Peoples China and the Peoples Democracies.

The world's leading Marxist, Joseph Stalin, long made that point crystal clear. In his famous interview with Roy Howard (March 1, 1936) he exploded the fable of the "export" of social change in these words:

"Export of revolution" is nonsense. Each country, if it wishes, will make its own revolution, and if it does not wish to, there will be no revolution. Thus, for example, our country wanted to make a revolution and made it, and now we are building a new, classless society. But to assert that we wish to make a revolution in other countries, interfering in their life, is to say what is not so and what we never preached."

IN A VARIETY of ways American Marxists, from the early American Communists of the mid-eighteenth century who first studied the Communist Manifesto of Marx and Engels, to 1950 have made the same point over and over again. It is to be found repeatedly in the writings of Bill Foster and Gene Dennis and in all the basic expressions of the party.

Recently I had an opportunity to express this basic position of our party in testifying against the Wood-McCarran bill before the House Un-American Activities Committee. Permit me to repeat what I said then (May 2

1950) as part of my remarks tonight:

"The Communist Party states flatly that it has no higher allegiance than to the people of the United States and the sovereign power that resides in the American people. Under all circumstances, we loyally defend the genuine national interests of our people. We affirm that no basic change can come in our country except by the will of the American people. We know that the Socialist reorganization of society cannot be imported or exported. It cannot be imposed upon the American people by a minority group or by force and violence. Only the American people—above all, the producers, the workers and farmers of America—can make such decisions."

Yes, we reject all varieties of the theory of "exceptionalism." We believe that the American workers and their allies can defeat the warmakers. We have faith that the American workers, if united in struggle for peace and democracy, can prevent war and fascism and can advance through democracy to Socialism.

## What's On?

### Tonight Manhattan

KUHLE WAMPE, classic of German unemployed movement (English titles) and "China's 400,000,000" both with Hanna Eisler music at Yugoslav Hall, 496 W. 41st St., N.Y.C. Adm. \$1.00 incl. tax. 8 p.m.

### Coming

NEW YEAR'S EVE Cabaret and Dance: Sunday, Dec. 31, Penthouse, 13 Astor Pl. \$1.50 in advance—\$2 at door. Tickets available at: Jefferson Bookshop, 44 St. Bookfair, Workers Bookshop, Lincoln Brigade, 23 West 26th St. MU 3-5067. SEE YOU at Camp Midvale New Year's Eve!

**Today** More than ever before  
**Your MARXIST Education is a MUST!**

Register for a Course in the  
**WINTER TERM**  
at the

**Jefferson School**

Registration Begins

**JANUARY 2**

Classes Begin

**JANUARY 15**

For Catalogue write to

**JEFFERSON SCHOOL, 575 Sixth Ave.**

Veterans of the Lincoln Brigade

present

**NEW YEAR'S EVE  
CABARET AND DANCE**

Dancing to ALLAN KIMMEL & His Band from 10 p.m. till 2 a.m.

**SPECIAL FLOOR SHOW WITH  
PEOPLE'S ARTISTS**

featuring: Laura Duncan, Ernie Lieberman, Duke of Iron, Elizabeth Knight (from 2:30 a.m.)

Join the Vets for breakfast at night extra charge in the wee hours

**PENTHOUSE BALLROOM**

13 Astor Place

**Sunday Night, December 31**

Admission:  
\$1.50 in advance  
\$2.00 at door



## MORE VOICES IN U.S. HEARD FOR PEACE

(Continued from Page 1)

rea. Recognizing the failure of Wall Street policy in the Far East, Commonweal asserts in its Dec. 15 issue that "the thing to do is to withdraw our troops from Korea on the best terms we can make. . . . Since Commonweal is committed to a basic anti-socialist and imperialist foreign policy, it adds the plea to "concentrate on the defense of Western Europe."

But, recognizing that "the continent of Asia is lost," it notes that "the whole continent is in revolt against centuries of colonial exploitation by the West." The odds are "insuperable," for "the Communists in many lands have succeeded in capturing the leadership in this great native uprising. The United States on the other hand . . . is too often cast in the imperialist role."

"The first thing to be done in our new course of action," the Catholic weekly continued in its lead editorial, "is to withdraw from Korea in force — making the best terms with the Chinese Communists."

An article by Harold C. Hinton, of Georgetown University, described by Commonweal as "one of the authors of the official War Department history of the Korean Occupation," declares: ". . . the Chinese terms for settlement are still unknown, but they probably include the establishment of a neutral zone south of the Yalu River, control over Formosa, and the admission of the Peking government to the United Nations . . . the alternative seems to be full-scale war . . . I should favor, as the lesser of two evils, their acceptance. . . ."

### HOUSEWIVES PICKET GEN. EISENHOWER

DENVER, Dec. 26.—Three housewives, two Jewish and one Christian, picketed the home of Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's parents while he was here for Christmas. Mrs. Lee Wood, Mrs. Baila Linenauer and Mrs. Susan Chute expressed the "highest respect" for Eisenhower, the newly-appointed chief of the "west European" army, but they said "We greatly fear the rearming of Germany."

Mrs. Wood said: "The birthday of Christ should not be a day for the rebirth of Nazism."

The women carried placards declaring: "We have not forgotten Lidice, Buchenwald, Dachau . . ." and "A Nazi army will not bring peace."

Mrs. Wood is the mother of a 19-year-old son awaiting his draft call. She said: "I don't want him to be an ally of the people who butchered so many of our people."

Eisenhower, who stepped outside briefly, did not acknowledge the presence of the picketing women. He sent out a reply to their request for an audience, saying: "There is nothing I can do. As commander I will merely follow instructions."

The women asked: "But can't a man of principle refuse to carry out such instructions?"

### MINNESOTA QUAKERS ASK STAND FOR PEACE

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—The Friends (Quakers) Society at the University of Minnesota has called on the university community to consider whether they can "in good conscience, continue to give support to a policy which threatens to engulf the world in the chaos of total war." Its own members the Friends declared, will "refuse to cooperate with the efforts of our government or other groups in making war."

### CHRISTMAS CARDS TO TRUMAN URGE PEACE

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—The Chicago Labor Conference for Peace distributed some 50,000 Christmas cards to be sent by workers to President Truman. The cards urged Truman to "give us the best Christmas gift we could ask for—peace."

A local at the Great Lakes Forge plant introduced a shop petition campaign with a leaflet saying: "Peace with honor is not by the sword alone. The fate of civilization hangs in the balance in the next few weeks unless a peaceful solution is found in settling the bloody conflict now going on in Asia."

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 26.—"Soldier's Mother Bitter Over Rebuff," the Elmira Star-Gazette headlined a letter from Mrs. Anna H. Blakely, whose son was lost in Korea. Noting that she is a victim of cancer and unable to earn her own living, she reports that the U. S. Army has turned her down for a dependency allowance on the grounds that her son did not contribute enough to it. Declaring that her son contributed "more than half of what he was getting," she wrote: "My son was lost somewhere on Hearbreak Highway; it won't matter to the government. They promise a lot."

## 32 NOTABLES HEAD BIG ANTI-McCARRAN LIST

(Continued from Page 3)

troduced by Rep. Adolph Sabath (D-Ill.) We shall launch a campaign on Congress for full support of this measure.

"Second, we hail the recent actions of important national organizations in favor of repeal (the National Convention of the CIO; the American Federationist, official organ of the AFL; the League of United Synagogues; the American Civil Liberties Union; and many others.) These actions, together with the heartening response over 1,000 prominent Americans from 48 states and the District of Columbia who have joined in sponsoring our committee, encourage us to believe that this shameful law can be erased from the books by demand of the American people.

"Finally, our faith in the unconstitutionality of the Act is confirmed by the recent Supreme Court decision in the case of Blau vs. the United States, which proves that the registration provisions of the McCarran Law cannot be enforced. We are convinced that the American people realize that the preservation of the Bill of Rights is their responsibility and that they will therefore join us in demanding the repeal of this infamous Act."

### OTHER INITIATORS

The other initiators of the committee are Dr. Abe Cronbach, Hebrew Union College; Prof. G. A. Borgese, University of Chicago; Prof. Zachariah Chafee, Jr., Harvard University; Dr. Mark A. Dawber, former executive secretary, Home Missions Council of North America; Mrs. Welthy Honsinger Fisher, chairman, World Day of Prayer Committee, United Council of Church Women; Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, Episcopal Bishop of Oregon; Dr. Edwin T. Dahlberg, Delmar Baptist Church,

St. Louis; Prof. E. Franklin Frazier, Howard University.

Rev. John Paul Jones, Union Church of Bay Ridge, Brooklyn; Rabbi Leo Jung, Rabbinical Council of America; Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Portland Area, The Methodist Church; Methodist Bishop Francis J. McConnell; Carey McWilliams, economist.

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, educator, Berkeley, former president, University of Wisconsin; Dr. Albert W. Palmer, former Moderator Congregational-Christian Churches of America; Rt. Rev. Edward L. Parsons, Episcopal Bishop (Ret'd) of San Francisco; Linus Pauling, California Institute of Technology.

Ralph Barton Perry, Professor of Philosophy, Harvard University; Dr. Edwin McNeill Poteat, Pullham Memorial Chapel, Raleigh; Paul Tillich, Professor of Theology, Union Theological Seminary; Mrs. M. E. Tilly, Southern Regional Council, Atlanta; Charles J. Turck, President, Macalester College, and Oswald Veblen, Institute of Advanced Study, Princeton University.

### SPONSORS

Among sponsors are: Edith Abbott, Hull House, Chicago, Ill.; Rev. Felix Anderson, Louisville, Ky.; Rev. Felix Anderson, Louisville, Ky.; Rev. L. E. Baldwin, Fort Shaw, Montana; Moses Barron, M.D., noted Zionist leader, Minneapolis; Lane W. Barton, Bishop of Oregon, Bend, Ore.; Dr. L. L. Berry, Secretary-Treas., A. M. E. Church, New York; Prof. Frederick K. Beutel, former Dean, Law School, U. of Nebraska.

Peter Blume, artist, Sherman, Conn.; Hans Blumenfeld, City Planning Commission, Philadelphia; Rev. John W. Bradbury, D.D., editor, The Watchman-Examiner; Dr. Emory Stevens Bucke, editor, Zions Herald, Boston; Merrill E. Bush, Dir., Dept.

of Adult Ed., American Unitarian Assn.; Prof. G. Murray Branch, Morehouse College, Atlanta; Rabbi D. A. Jessurun Cardozo, New York; Prof. A. J. Carlson, University of Chicago, Chicago; Serge Chernyayeff, president Institute of Design, Chicago; Rabbi J. X. Cohen, Free Synagogue, New York.

Rev. Henry Hitt Crane, D.D., Detroit; Rev. Phil Deschner, district superintendent, Methodist Church, Okla.; Harl Douglass, Dean, School of Education, University of Colorado; Rev. A. R. Eschliman, Sioux Falls, S. D.

Prof. Kermit Eby, Division of Social Sciences, University of Chicago; Leroy E. Evans, president, Kirby Distributing Co., Denver; Rev. John Scott Everton, Dean of the Chapel, Kalamazoo College, Mich.; Harold E. Fey, Editor, Christian Century, Chicago; Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Pulitzer Prize author, Arlington, Vt.; Rev. R. Farley Fisher, general secretary, A.M.E. Zion Church, D. of C.; Clemens J. France, Esq., attorney at law, Providence, R. I.; Most Rev. William H. Francis, Archbishop of Old Catholic Church, N. Y.; Rabbi Morris Fishman, Columbia, Mo.

Robert C. Gnegy, National Conference of Methodist Youth, D. of C.; John C. Granbery, editor, The Emancipator, San Antonio, Tex.; Shirley Graham, author, St. Albans, N. Y.; Alice Hamilton, M.D., Professor Emeritus, Harvard University, Hadlyme, Conn.; Uta Hagen, actress, New York.

Dashiell Hammett, writer, New York; Lawrence A. Hautz, vice-chairman, Mayor's Committee on Human Relations, Milwaukee; Cecil E. Hinshaw, former president, William Penn College, Missouri; Prof. Harold Hotelling, Chapel Hill, N. C.; Rt. Rev. Russell S. Hubbard, Prot. Epis. Bishop of Michigan; Rev. J. Clyde Keegan, District Supt., Methodist

## Mayor's New Appointees

New appointees being sworn in today by Mayor Impellitteri are Dominic Paduano as Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to replace Stephen J. Carney; Sydney S. Baron as Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Marine and Aviation, to succeed Sylvester Constantino; Frederick S. Weaver as Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Housing and Building, to replace J. Raymond Jones; Americus Delli Paoli as Deputy Commissioner of Hospitals to replace Philip Zichello, and George Monaghan as Fire Commissioner to succeed Frank J. Quayle.

New Municipal Court magistrates to be sworn in are Louis Paganuco, Anthony Maglio and Charles Telemann.

Church, Casper, Wyo.; I. M. Kolthoff, Chairman, Dept. of Chemistry, University of Minnesota.

Dr. Gilbert Q. L. LeSourd, Associate Secretary, Missionary Educated Movement; Prof. Ronald Levy, Roosevelt College, Chicago; Bishop F. L. Lewis, Shreveport, La.; Prof. C. F. Littell, Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Ia.; Alice F. Liveright, social worker, Philadelphia; Robert S. Lynd, sociologist, Columbia University, New York; Rev. Stanley Manning, Chmn., Comm. on Int'l Relations, Universalist Church of America, Avon, Ill.

Prof. Kirtley F. Mather, Harvard University; Joseph E. Mayer, Institute of Nuclear Studies, University of Chicago; Leo Mayer, M.D., brain specialist; John S. Nollen, President Emeritus, Grinnell College, Grinnell, Ia.; Mrs. Mildred Scott Olmstead, Women's International League for Peace & Freedom, Philadelphia; George A. Parker, Dean, Turrell School of Law, D. of C.; Rev. Frederick E. Reissig, Exec. Secy., Church Federation of D. of C.; Prof. Daniel Q. Posin, atomic scientist, Fargo, N. D.; Bishop Frank Madison Reid, Columbia, S. C.; Rev. John Q. Schisler, Exec. Secy., Bd. of Ed., Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn.

Dr. Arthur Schnabel, pianist and musicologist, New York; V. F. Schwalm, president, Manchester College, Manchester, Ind.; Prof. P. A. Sorokin, Chmn., Dept. of Sociology, Harvard University; Stanley I. Stuber, Chmn., Comm. on Religious Liberty, Baptist World Alliance, New York; Rev. Frank M. Toothaker, Dist. Supt., Methodist Church, Phoenix, Ariz.; Rev. Robert Leonard Tucker, First Methodist Church, New Haven; Bishop P. R. Wright, Jr., A.M.A. Zion Church, Atlanta; Edward L. Young, M.D., surgeon, Brookline, Mass.

## City Threatens Sales Tax Hike

By Michael Singer

The committee headed by Mayor Impellitteri and including Comptroller Joseph and Budget Director Patterson studying revision of city salaries is expected to recommend to the Board of Estimate this week a sales tax increase to meet the costs of a general pay rise for 200,000 municipal workers. It was learned that the committee will propose a City Council measure to the State Legislature for powers to raise the current 2 percent sales tax to 3 percent. Such a tax would yield approximately \$200,000,000, some \$65,000,000 above the \$132 million yielded in the fiscal year which ended last July 1.

The added burden to the cost of living, which would fall most heavily on the workers and particularly the Negro people, is but one of many "outs" Mayor Impellitteri is considering to meet demands for across-the-board city raises.

It is known, for instance, that he contemplates a rise in the business tax, the consumer use tax and possibly imposition of such legislative-approved levies as the vending, patent medicine and restaurant taxes. While such levies are, in the main, most burdensome to middle-class, small business and out-of-town residents who do business in New York City, the cost of these levies would inevitably be passed on to low-income consumers and wage-earners.

The most menacing tax is, of course, the sales tax. That such a tax is far beyond the pay demands of the workers is seen in the fact that a \$500 general salary increase would cost only \$60,000,000 which could be met by an equitable estimation of the city budget's carry-over for 1952. Comptroller Joseph already has a \$27,000,000 "reserve" for next year and this is based on the most conservative revenue estimates for the Expense Budget.

It will probably be closer to \$40,000,000.

The mayor's committee is also expected to act on recommendations for salary increases to the Board of Education personnel which, according to state provisions, is required to grant \$3,700,000 more for public school teachers next year.

## Classified Ads

NOTICE: We will not accept any ad by mail unless accompanied by full payment and copy of the statement printed below with signature of advertiser.

### STATEMENT OF POLICY

The Daily Worker and The Worker will not accept an advertisement in which any individual is discriminated against because of color or creed.

—ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT.

The above policy is fully understood by me in placing my advertisement.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_

### ROOM FOR RENT

ROOM for rent for man, private family. Call after 4 p.m. Apt. No. 11—234 W. 21st St. Mr. Van.

### FOR SALE

(Appliances)

AUTOMATIC POP-UP TOASTER, rated best by Independent Consumer Research Orgn. Regular \$18.95 value—special \$12.95. Standard Brand Dist., 143 Fourth Ave. (13th and 14th Sts.) GR 3-7819.

### INTERIORS

MODERN cabinet making, individual designs, large selection, occasional tables, reasonable prices, dependable. Beran-Orban, 22 Astor Pl. OR 4-6123. Open Monday-Saturday 10-6 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday, late.

### STATION WAGON FOR HIRE

STATION WAGON express, prompt, reasonable, anywhere. Days: PL 7-8690; Even: UL 2-2485.

### SERVICES

(Auto Repair)

LIT AUTO REPAIRS  
WORK done on all cars, including body and fender jobs by experts. Reasonable. Tires, tubes, batteries. Discount to DW members. 140 West End Avenue (66th St.) TR 7-2554.

### (Upholstery)

SOFA rewebbed, relined, springs retied in your home. Reasonable. Furniture repaired, slipcovered, reupholstered. Comradely attention. Mornings 9-1. HYcanith 8-7887.

### TRUCKS FOR HIRE

ALL JOBS, moving, storage, all projects, closed vans, low rates. Call Ed Wendel, JE 6-8000, day-night.

JIMMIE'S pickup, trucking service, small jobs. Shortest notice. Dependable, reliable. UN 4-7707.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PAYABLE IN ADVANCE

#### RATES:

	Daily	per line	Weekend
(For Personal Ads)			
1 insertion	40c		50c
5 consec. insert	30c		40c
7 consec. insert	25c		30c
(For Commercial Ads)			

Six words constitute one line. Minimum charge—3 lines.

#### ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT

For the Daily Worker:

Previous day at 1.

For Monday's issue—

Friday at 3 p.m.

For The (Weekend) Worker:

Previous Wednesday at 3 p.m.



# The Speech That Was Banned at UN

(Continued from Page 4)  
across the Pacific to invade Korea and Taiwan. To argue that the Chinese people must not render any voluntary support to the Korean people to oppose the intervention and aggression by the American imperialists against both China and Korea is absurd and inconceivable.

The lance of the American aggressors has extended too far. It has stabbed across 5,000 miles of the Pacific into the territory of China and that of Korea. The Chinese people and the Korean people resolutely demand that the United States aggressors and their accomplices draw back their aggressive long lance by withdrawing simultaneously all their armed forces from Taiwan and Korea.

Recently, owing to the bankruptcy of the so-called "end the war" offensive launched by Gen. MacArthur of the United States, President Truman of the United States, Secretary of State Mr. Acheson, and the United States Representative, Mr. Austin, have uttered screams of the so-called "new aggression" or "intervention" of China against Korea. They have threatened once more to use illegally the name of the United Nations to extend the war further into the mainland of China, not hesitating at all to stir up a third war.

Members of the Committee, these are barbaric threats. The people of China and the people of Korea, determined to resist the United States aggression, shall never bow their heads to any threat whatsoever.

The ruling circle of the United States is attempting once more to steal the name of the United Nations to extend its aggressive war against Korea into

the mainland of China. We firmly oppose the United Nations for being used once again by the United States; for it would be a thorough violation of the United Nations Charter.

AT THE SAME TIME I must call the attention of the representatives of these countries which are prepared to support such a maneuver of the United States. If you do so, it could mean that you are taking a further step in supporting the United States aggression. It would mean that you are making enemies of the 475 million people of China and of the people of the whole world who love peace and oppose war. The people of China and the people of the whole world would not lightly forgive you. You must bear the full responsibility for the inevitable consequences of your actions.

President Truman of the United States and Secretary of State, Mr. Acheson have instantly referred to the "crisis" in the present international situation. But we would like to ask: What is the origin of this "crisis"? The origin of this crisis is the aggressive and war policy of the American imperialists. A handful of the American imperialist aggressors are determined to extend aggression and to demand world war, thus creating the so-called "crisis" in the present international situation.

People of the whole world are opposed to war. Nevertheless, peace cannot be obtained by making concessions to aggressors.

The only way to avert the so-called "war crisis" and improve the present international situation is for the peace-loving

people of the whole world to strengthen their resistance to the United States imperialist aggression, and to strengthen their struggle to end the United States imperialist aggression.

Mr. Austin, in a complete distortion of facts, asserted that the question of world peace or world war was to be decided by the Chinese people, as if the Chinese people wanted to bomb America and to drop an atomic bomb on the United States.

No, Mr. Austin, the judgment of the whole world is not to be distorted. The situation that confronts the whole world today is that a few American imperialist aggressors are determined against the will of the American people and of the people of the whole world to extend aggression and to demand war, even threatening to use the atomic bomb. The Chinese people have learned from their bitter experience of long struggles that only by resisting the aggression of the United States Government without the minutest concession, can a world war be averted and the peace of the world maintained. The Chinese people are determined to do so. All threats and deceit will be of no use.

THE CHINESE PEOPLE have full confidence and determination to recover Taiwan from the grip of the United States aggressors and to put an end to all the direct and indirect aggressive actions of the United States Government against the People's Republic of China. But to safeguard international peace and security and to uphold the sanctity of the United Nations Charter, the United Nations has

the inalienable duty to apply sanctions against the United States Government for its criminal acts of armed aggression on China's territory Taiwan, and armed intervention in China's neighbor, Korea. I, therefore, in the name of the Central People's Government of the People's Republic of China, request that the General Assembly adopt the following resolution:

**The General Assembly,**  
Recognizing that the invasion and occupation of Taiwan by the armed forces of the United States of America constitute open and direct aggression on China's territory,

Recognizing that the armed aggression on China's territory and the armed intervention in Korea by the armed forces of the Government of the United States of America have shattered peace and security in Asia and violated the United Nations Charter and international agreements,

Requests the Security Council:

cil:

1.—To condemn and to take concrete steps to apply severe sanctions against the Government of the United States of America for its criminal acts of armed aggression against the territory of China, Taiwan and armed intervention in Korea;

2.—To adopt immediately effective measures to bring about the complete withdrawal by the Government of the United States of America of its forces of armed aggression from Taiwan, in order that peace and security in the Pacific and in Asia may be censured; and

3.—To adopt immediately effective measures to bring about the withdrawal from Korea of the armed forces of the United States of America and all other countries and to leave the people of North and South Korea to settle the domestic affairs of Korea themselves, so that a peace solution of the Korean question may be achieved.

THE END

## REUTHER OMITTS FEPC CLAUSE IN CHRYSLER PACT

By William Allan

DETROIT, Dec. 26.—The model fair practices clause has been shoved into a glass case by United Auto Workers president Walter Reuther and his lieutenants.

Two weeks after the clause was dusted off before a FEPC meeting of local UAW committees, Norman Matthews, UAW director at Chrysler, signed a five-year contract without the FEPC clause.

Chrysler Corp. has long had a policy of hiring one Negro for every 200 white workers. FEPC committees at both Chrysler and Dodge are hitting daily at the company's discriminatory policy.

But Reuther and Matthews recommended acceptance of the Chrysler agreement without the model anti-discrimination clause. Now Emil Mazey, the "socialist,"

is negotiating with Briggs Manufacturing Co. for exactly the same five-year contract.

At the FEPC conference, union committeemen heard a representative of the Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission cite figures reflecting the alarming rise of discrimination in employment.

The representative said that in 1945 about 35 percent of the employers in eight cities requested "white help only." In April, 1947, this jumped to 44.5 percent. In 1949 it rose to 49.8 percent. In 1950, it reached 80 percent.

With these figures staring him in the face, Reuther told the conference that this is the "time for deeds, not words on fighting discrimination." The Chrysler and Briggs negotiations indicate that Reuther still has only words.

## Two Epics of Film History Shown Tonight

One of the best double bills in town is the showing tonight of the German unemployed film **Kuhle Wampe** and the picture of the Chinese liberation struggle, **China's 400,000,000**. Both pictures are being revived by The German-American and will be presented at 8:30 p. m. at the Yugoslav American Hall, 405 W. 41 St., N.Y.C.

Both pictures feature musical scores by Hanns Eisler and China's 400,000,000 is narrated by Fredric March, while **Kuhle Wampe** has English titles.

The latter is a story of a German "hooverville" in the fateful days preceding Hitler's bid for power. The bitter romance of a young unemployed factory girl a car washer in a Berlin garage provide the plot to the story of the fate of millions of German workers. The film is masterfully produced by Slatan Dudov, director of the recently released and internationally acclaimed German film **Our Daily Bread**.

Admission \$1, including tax.

## Special CNA Holiday Shows for Harlem Hospital Children

The Theater Chapter of the Committee for the Negro in the Arts is presenting Christmas shows at the Harlem and Sydenham hospitals during the holidays. Mrs. Alice Childress, actress, director and playwright; and Joseph McFadden, actor, are in charge of the shows which will be given at Sydenham this afternoon (Wednesday, Dec. 27) at 2:30 p. m. for children and on Friday, Dec. 29 at 3 p. m. for adults. The program for Harlem Hospital children will be given Thursday, Dec. 28.

Sidney Poitier, recently returned from South Africa where he starred in the filming of **Cry The Beloved Country** and Hilda Haynes (Streetcar Named Desire) head the list of entertainers along with dancers and stars from the CNO production **Just A Little Simple**.

## RADIO

WMCA — 570 kc. WINS — 1010 kc. WJZ — 1050 kc.  
WJZ — 660 kc. WJZ — 1330 kc. WJZ — 1450 kc.  
WJZ — 710 kc. WJZ — 880 kc. WJZ — 1290 kc.  
WJZ — 770 kc. WJZ — 1130 kc. WJZ — 1560 kc.  
WJZ — 830 kc. WJZ — 1190 kc.

### MORNING

9:00-WOR—Harry Hennessey  
WJZ—This Is New York  
WJZ—Breakfast Club  
WJZ—Masterwork Hour  
9:15-WOR—Tello-Test  
9:30-WOR—Food—Alfred W. McCann  
WJZ—Andre Baruch Show  
WJZ—Piano Personalities  
9:45-WOR—Tommy Riggs and Betty Lou  
WJZ—Composer's Varieties  
10:00-WOR—Welcome Travelers  
WJZ—Henry Gladstone  
WJZ—My True Story  
WJZ—Arthur Godfrey  
WJZ—Morning Melodies  
10:15-WOR—Martha Deane Program  
10:30-WOR—Double or Nothing  
WJZ—Betty Crocker Magazine  
10:45-WJZ—News  
11:00-WOR—News; Prescott Robinson  
WJZ—Modern Romances  
WJZ—News; Concert  
WJZ—Break the Bank  
WJZ—Four Strings  
11:15-WOR—Queen for a Day  
11:30-WOR—Jack Berch  
WJZ—Quick as a Flash  
WJZ—Grand Slam Quiz  
11:45-WOR—David Harum  
WJZ—Rosemary  
WJZ—Kate Smith, Songs  
WJZ—Luncheon Concert

### AFTERNOON

12:00-WOR—News; Sketch's Scrapbook  
WJZ—Kate Smith Speaks  
WJZ—Luncheon Club  
WJZ—News, Luncheon Concert  
WJZ—Midday Symphony  
WJZ—Wendy Warren  
12:15-WOR—Aunt Jenny  
WJZ—Bing Crosby  
12:25-WJZ—News  
12:30-WOR—Helen Trent  
WJZ—News; Luncheon at Sardi's  
WJZ—Helen Sheldon  
WJZ—Mrs. Roosevelt  
1:00-WJZ—Mary Margaret McBride  
WJZ—Famous Artists  
WJZ—Big Sister  
WJZ—News; Music  
1:15-WOR—Dave Garraway  
WJZ—Ma Perkins Sketch  
1:30-WOR—Young Dr. Malone Sketch  
WJZ—Hollywood Theatre  
WJZ—Answer Man  
1:45-WOR—The Guiding Light—Sketch  
WJZ—We Love and Learn  
2:00-WOR—Double or Nothing  
WJZ—Welcome to Hollywood  
WJZ—Second Mrs. Burton  
WJZ—News; Pop Concert  
WJZ—Symphonic Matinee  
2:15-WOR—Perry Mason  
WJZ—Harry Hennessey  
2:30-WOR—Live Like a Millionaire  
WJZ—Nora Drake Sketch  
WJZ—Rudy Vallee Show  
WJZ—News  
WJZ—Alma Dettinger  
2:45-WOR—The Brighter Side  
WJZ—Peace of Mind  
3:00-WOR—Life Can Be Beautiful  
WJZ—Buddy Rogers Show  
WJZ—Chance of a Lifetime  
WJZ—News Sketch  
WJZ—News; Symphonic Matinee  
3:15-WOR—News; Symphonic Matinee  
WJZ—Hilltop House  
3:30-WOR—Pepper Young Sketch  
WJZ—Hannibal Cobb  
WJZ—House Party

### EVENING

3:45-WOR—Right to Happiness  
WJZ—Tello-Test  
WJZ—Happy Felton  
4:00-WOR—Backstage Wife  
WJZ—Barbara Welles  
WJZ—Strike It Rich Quiz  
WJZ—Nancy Craig  
WJZ—Music of Germany  
WJZ—Music of the Theatre  
4:15-WOR—Stella Dallas  
4:30-WOR—Lorenzo Jones  
WJZ—Pat Baras  
WJZ—Dean Cameron Show  
WJZ—Missus Goes a-Shopping  
WJZ—Deems Taylor Concert  
4:45-WOR—Young Wilder Browne  
5:00-WOR—When a Girl Marries  
WJZ—Mark Trail—Sketch  
WJZ—Galen Drake  
WJZ—Continental Melodies  
WJZ—Jimmy Wakely Show  
5:15-WOR—Portia Face Life  
WJZ—Record Review  
5:30-WOR—Just Plain Bill  
WJZ—Clyde Beatty Show  
WJZ—Blackhawk—Sketch  
WJZ—Cocktail Time  
5:45-WOR—Front-Page Farrell

### EVENING

6:00-WOR—Lyle Van  
WJZ—Allan Jackson  
WJZ—Kenneth Banghart  
WJZ—Sports  
WJZ—Music to Remember  
6:15-WOR—Rose Bowl Preview  
WJZ—On the Century  
WJZ—Answer Man  
WJZ—Dorian St. George  
6:30-WOR—News  
WJZ—Norman Brokenshire  
WJZ—Wayne Howell  
WJZ—Curt Massey Show  
6:45-WOR—Three Star Extra  
WJZ—Stan Lomax  
WJZ—Lowell Thomas  
7:00-WOR—Symphonette  
WJZ—News  
WJZ—Beulah  
WJZ—Edwin C. Hill  
WJZ—Masterwork Hour  
WJZ—News; Keyboard Artists  
7:05-WJZ—Headline Edition  
7:15-WJZ—News  
WJZ—Jack Smith, Dinah Shore  
7:30-WOR—News of the World  
WJZ—Gabriel Heatter  
WJZ—Variety Show  
WJZ—Lone Ranger  
WJZ—Jacques Pray  
7:45-WOR—Kirkman Goodman Show  
WJZ—One Man's Family  
WJZ—News  
8:00-WOR—Cisno Kid  
WJZ—News Symphony Hall  
8:30-WOR—Great Glideroleve  
WJZ—Anything—Drama  
WJZ—Human Adventure  
WJZ—Mr. Chameleon  
9:00-WOR—Groucho Marx  
WJZ—Rogue's Gallery  
WJZ—Harold Peary  
WJZ—2000 Plus  
9:30-WOR—Mr. District Attorney  
WJZ—Bing Crosby  
WJZ—Mr. President  
WJZ—Family Theatre  
WJZ—Music of U.S.A.  
9:45-WOR—Great Names  
WJZ—Records  
10:00-WOR—Big Story Sketch  
WJZ—Boxing  
WJZ—Frank Edwards  
WJZ—Records  
10:15-WOR—A. L. Alexander  
10:30-WOR—NBC Theatre  
WJZ—Show Shop  
WJZ—News

## SHOPPERS' GUIDE

### Electrolysis

IT'S SO INEXPENSIVE  
to Rid Yourself of  
**UNWANTED**  
**HAIR FOREVER!**

\$1 per treatment. Famous experts remove unwanted hair permanently from face, arms, legs or body. Privacy. Sensational new method. Quick results. Lowered costs! Men also treated. Free consultation.  
BELLETTA ELECTROLYSIS  
110 W. 34th St. (adj. Saks)  
Suits 1101-1102 • LO 3-4218

### Florists

• FLOWERS •  
• AND FRUIT BASKETS •  
• Delivered Anywhere •  
**ROBERT RAVEN, Flowers**  
GR 3-8357

### Insurance

**CARL BRODSKY**  
All kinds of insurance including automobile, fire, life, compensation, etc.  
799 Broadway GR 5-3826

### Moving and Storage

**MOVING • STORAGE**  
**FRANK GIARAMITA**  
13 E. 7th St.  
near 3rd Ave. GR 7-2457  
EFFICIENT • RELIABLE

For Advertising Info:  
Call AL 4-7954

### Opticians and Optometrists

Official IWO Optician  
**ASSOCIATED OPTOMETRISTS**  
255 W. 34th St., near Eighth Ave.  
Mon.-Thurs., 9-7:30; Friday 9-6:30  
Saturday 9-6 — LO 3-3248  
**J. P. FREEMAN, Opt.**

Official IWO B'klyn Optometrist  
**UNITY OPTICAL CO.**  
152 FLATBUSH AVE.  
Near Atlantic Ave. — Our Only Office  
**ELI ROSS, Optometrist**  
Tel. NEVins 8-9166  
DAILY 9 A.M. — 7 P.M.  
SATURDAY 9 A.M. — 3 P.M.  
EYES EXAMINED EYE EXERCISES

Official IWO Bronx Optometrist  
**EYES EXAMINED**  
**GLASSES FITTED**  
262 E. 167th STREET, BRONX  
Tel. JERome 7-0022

### GOLDEN BRO

### Records

"Songs of the  
International Brigade"  
**BERLINER'S**  
MUSIC SHOP  
154 Fourth Ave. (14th St.)  
Open till 10 p. m. OR 4-9400

### Restaurants

**JADE MOUNTAIN**  
197 SECOND AVENUE  
Bet. 12 and 13 Sts. — GR 7-9444  
• Quality Chinese Food •  
Special Attention to Parties & Banquets



# HOLLYWOOD

By DAVID PLATT

## Frank Lovejoy Gets Title Role in 'I Was a Communist for the FBI'

FRANK LOVEJOY has accepted the role of the FBI stool-pigeon and labor spy Matt Cvetic in the coming Warner Bros. cold war film *I Was a Communist for the FBI*. Lovejoy comes well equipped for this dirty role. He entered the movies by way of radio where for years he played nothing but gangsters and cops.

A PHILADELPHIA READER asks for space in this column to state his opinions on the 20th Century Fox film *No Way Out*. "This film," he writes, "continues Hollywood's effort to show the Negro people as capable of doing nothing than waiting on white people and entertaining them in night clubs. However, commendable as this effort is, I feel it is overshadowed by the portrayal of other things which are false and misleading."

"No one in the film is shown to harbor anti-Negro feeling except poor whites from the slums: It is therefore implied that poverty and only poverty breeds white chauvinism. None of the hospital officials suffer from white chauvinism; on the contrary, they accept the Negro inmate completely. The very police guards have the greatest feeling for him. In other words, the state apparatus is shown as a friend of the Negro people. What is this but a Hollywood hallucination?"

"White chauvinism is the product of a diseased mind, we are told, instead of a diseased society. According to the film, Ray Biddle needs medical attention because his violent white chauvinism is a form of insanity. His vicious anti-Negro tirades go unchecked throughout the picture. Almost every name that the Negro people has ever been called is repeated not once, but several times. This is Hollywood 'realism.' In my opinion, more harm than good is done by this educational technique."

"It is a wonderful thing to show the tremendous organizational ability of the Negro people and the race riot scene reflects the growing movement among the Negro people to fight back and resist their oppression. But torn out of the broad relationship of Negroes to whites, this presentation is both reactionary and dangerous. In these critical times, we must fight to emphasize and strengthen every form of cooperation and unity among the working class groups. The film shows that Negro people are so fed up with existing conditions that they are prepared to use force blindly. And against whom does the Negro people fight—not the rich boys who feed upon Negro misery, not the state apparatus with its police brutality—but against another group of poor people, the poor whites from the slums. Hollywood cannot and will not show who the real enemies of the working people are, nor can Hollywood, as presently constituted, show the working people the broad and effective methods of struggle."

"We cannot and must not excuse this film for its subtle white chauvinism on the grounds that the Negro people are at last being shown as people with normal lives and feelings. It is just as important to expose the peculiar type of overtones accompanying these pictures, so that we may break out of the confines of a mere 'liberal' understanding."

(The Daily Worker Film Department agrees wholeheartedly with this Philadelphia reader's opinions of *No Way Out* and has made similar observations in several articles and columns, the last of which appeared on Sunday, Nov. 26.)

AL LEWIN OF MANHATTAN WRITES: "What has happened to the East German film *Our Daily Bread*? My wife and I read the brilliant reviews of that film and were naturally most eager to see it. But it stopped playing at the Stanley after only a few days and it has not been exhibited anywhere else to my knowledge. A friend of mine saw it at the Stanley and a day or two later his wife went to see it, but it had already been yanked. Does it not strike you as strange that a picture which was lauded everywhere is not being shown?"

(Not strange at all. *Our Daily Bread*—a superb film about the winning of the East German middle-class to democratic thinking since the crushing of Nazism by the Soviet army—was prematurely yanked from the Stanley because of exceptionally poor business during its first week. Before word got around that this was one of Europe's outstanding postwar films—and the Daily Worker made that plain in its review—it was too late. However, the film can be seen today through Thursday at the Thalia Theatre, 95 St. & Broadway. And if enough people will call Dave Fine at the Stanley he may be induced to give it another try a little later on.)

## Says Art Critic Overlooked 'Powerful' Painting by Joseph Hirsch

Editor, Feature Section:

Your art critic, Charles Corwin, finds himself today in a state of complete despair over the annual Whitney Museum show. Perhaps if he had not overlooked the work of Joseph Hirsch he would feel more enthusiastic. Hirsch's Anniversary is a joyous, affirmative scene without any artificial trappings—a simple, powerful painting of a working class marriage. Such subjects ought to be all around us in the productions of many progressive artists. That Hirsch is almost alone in his choice of socially communicable material does not mean that we should isolate him further by ignoring his paintings. Anniversary is definitely worth a trip to the Whitney.

Incidentally, even though I disagree frequently with Corwin's opinions, I wish you would try to

run his art reviews more frequently, and a few generalized columns on the history of art from a materialist point of view would be most welcome.—H. R.

## Repertory Club To Present Moliere Comedies

The second production of the Repertory Club, 121 W. 54 St., will consist of a double bill of two Moliere comedies, *George Dandin* and *School for Wives*. Criticized. Casting is underway for the two plays and they are tentatively scheduled to open during the second week of January.

The current production, a comedy-farce, *The Lively Art*, by Norman Beim, may be seen Friday and Saturday at 8:40 p. m. and Sunday at 4:00 p. m.

## Alice Neel Paints Scenes and Portraits from Life in Harlem

By MIKE GOLD

ALICE NEEL, whose paintings will be shown at the ACA Gallery, 63 E. 57 St., beginning today, is perhaps the first painter to pioneer in portraying the spirit of the Puerto Ricans living in New York.

With her two sons, Alice Neel has lived for more than twelve years in East Harlem and the scenes and portraits she paints are taken from the daily life around her.

As a critic has said, she is primarily a painter of people. "Waifs and poets, friends and Puerto Rican neighbors come in and sit for her—and she probes each one without sermon or sentimentality. . . . Her communication is so direct that a great intensity infuses her work."

The friends of Alice Neel, including Fred Ellis and other painters, feel that her "one-man" show at the ACA will reveal to the world of painting a new star of social realism.

Included among her portraits are one of Mercedes Arroya, a trade union leader of the Puerto Rican people, and well known for her heroism. A touching portrait of a Puerto Rican family and street scenes and a fish market of Spanish Harlem are among the other pictures to be exhibited.

"I am against abstract and non-objective art," said Alice Neel to this reporter, "because such art shows a hatred of human beings. It is an attempt to eliminate people from art, and as such it is bound to fail. Rembrandt and Titian gave us a whole universe in their portraits but this modern art is good only for wallpaper or textiles."

"But for me, people come first. There isn't much good portrait



Puerto Rican Family by Alice Neel

painting being done today, and I think it is because with all this war commercialism and fascism, human beings have been steadily marked down in value, despised, rejected and degraded."

"I think I have tried to assert the dignity and eternal importance of the human being in my portraits. The Puerto Rican people have moved me, because they are so generous, so warmly human, so wonderful with their children. I

come originally from Philadelphia, from an old American family that arrived in Colonial times. I have never felt strange in East Harlem, however, because of the fine and hospitable humanity I find all around me. They suffer from the most extreme poverty, yet have preserved their humanity. East Harlem is like a battlefield of humanism, and I am on the side of the people there, and they inspire my painting."

## A New Biography of James Madison

JAMES MADISON, FATHER OF THE CONSTITUTION, 1787-1800. By Irving Brant.

By Max Gordon

ABOUT HALF of this volume, the third in Irving Brant's extended biography of Madison, is devoted to the Constitutional Convention, including the struggle for ratification and the popular upheaval which forced adoption of a Bill of Rights.

The other half, dealing with the Washington Administration, emphasizes the notorious currency manipulations of Alexander Hamilton. Aim of these manipulations was to establish, through vast corruption and robbery of the people, the close integration of government and finance which is the essence of our political system today.

BRANT LEANS heavily on the late Professor Charles Beard's economic interpretations of the Constitution. He tries to follow the style of Claude Bowers' books on Jefferson, but is far more sketchy and shallow, and not nearly as clear.

The author shows graphically how the shadow of Shay's Rebellion hung heavily over the Constitutional Convention and forced it to resolve all differences. It was the 1785 uprising of poor Massachusetts farmers, oppressed by debts and speculation, which forced the men of substance to conclude they needed a strong central government to suppress revolts—whether of poor farmers or slaves. And whenever the Constitution showed signs of breaking up over irreconcilable differences, the memory of Shay's Rebellion was invoked to keep the 55 delegates at their labors.

Thus, the very origins of our land, which reaction loves to portray as an exception to the material development of history described by Marx, clearly illustrates how the state is organized as the weapon of repression of the dominant economic classes. But though it was inspired by the desire to

suppress more effectively the revolts of the poor farmers in particular, history has generally recorded the move for a really national government as a necessary step.

The men of substance, again haunted by Shay's Rebellion, recognized the need to make some concessions to the people in order to put through the centralized state. They granted direct elections to the House of Representatives and "popular" election of the President through the Electoral College, bearing in mind that only a relatively small proportion of the electorate could vote because of property qualifications.

The concessions were not enough, however. And the delegates were forced to promise the various state conventions that Congress would tack on a Bill of Rights as a condition for ratification of the Constitution.

BRANT NOTES in some detail other economic factors which brought spokesmen for the various upper class groups together at the convention. These were instability of currency, which hit rising manufacture; the large federal and state obligations, bought up largely by speculators and worthless unless redeemed by a strong government; huge speculations in western land, likewise needing a strong central government to clear away the Indians and permit large-scale settlement.

Following Beard, Brant notes that it was these interests which determined the shape of conflicts in the convention, as well as the way they were resolved; and not the abstract "small vs. large" state differences taught in the history books.

The author spends some time in discussing Madison's theory of history, contrasting it with what he considers Marxism. Madison, Father of the Constitution and fourth president of the United States, is often viewed as one of the bourgeois democratic revolu-

tionary forerunners of the Marxist philosophy of historical materialism, as are some of the other leading Jefferson thinkers.

THE AUTHOR, however, attributes a false, mechanical economic determinism to Marx, and then proceeds to show that Madison is different.

Madison did sense that the material conditions of society are the source of politics, and that the state arises out of the class struggle. He recognized that there would be an inevitable monopoly of wealth in America, and that democracy would be destroyed as this monopoly developed. But his philosophy was far from grasping the systematic, dialectic relationship between the material structure of society and the ideological super-structure which marks historical materialism.

At a later period than this book is concerned with, Madison noted that there would be an inevitable reorganization of society as a result of the concentration of wealth. But he could hardly have understood in his lifetime that the workingclass would be the force to reorganize society and that it would be in the direction of Socialism.

"An exciting theatrical experience." —WORKER  
"Superb bits of acting." —COMPASS  
"Adult—fine and moving performances. A time for special rejoicing." —POST

PEOPLE'S DRAMA presents a new play by PAUL PETERS

**NAT TURNER**

with FRANK SILVERA  
Maxwell GLANVILLE, Milroy INGRAM,  
Howard WIERUM, Lloyd RICHARDS, Greg  
HUNTER, Ruth ATTAWAY, Leo NEMETZ  
Eves. 8:45 ex. Mon. \$1.20, \$1.90, \$2.40  
Phone GR 5-3838  
212 Eldridge St. (F Train to 2nd Ave.)

EAST meets WEST...  
**Under Sunny Skies**  
STANLEY



# WORKER Sports

New York, Wednesday, December 27, 1950

## Yanks Open, End With Sox

The world champion Yankees yesterday announced their 1951 home schedule which will begin and end against their hottest rivals and biggest gate attraction, the Boston Red Sox.

Manager Casey Stengel's team will open the Stadium season against Boston, April 17-18-19, and will wind up the campaign against the Red Sox, Sept. 28-29-30.

Unlike last season when they played only four home games after Labor Day, the Yankees are scheduled to play 18 games at the Stadium in September with every other club in the American League slated to visit the defending champions during the stretch run.

Although most other clubs have steadily increased their night game dates, the Yankees again limited their after dark contests to 14. The dates have been spaced out so that only once during the 1951 season will there be more than one night game in a single week at the Stadium. The first night game will be against Cleveland on May 14 and the last with Chicago on Sept. 18.

The July 4 doubleheader with Washington is the only holiday date on the Stadium schedule. However, the home campaign will include four other double bills—May 20 with the Browns, May 27 with Philadelphia, July 29 with Chicago, and Aug. 5 with the Browns.

The Yanks' 1951 home schedule: April 17, 18, 19—Boston; 23, 24, 25—Philadelphia; 28, 29—Washington; May 14 (N), 16, 17—Cleveland; 18, 19—Chicago; 20 (2), 21 (N)—St. Louis; 23, 24—Detroit; 25

(N), 26, 27 (2)—Philadelphia; June 12, 13, 14—St. Louis; 15 15 (N), 16, 17—Detroit; 19, 20, 21—Chicago; 22 (N), 23, 24—Cleveland; 29 (N), 30, July 1—Boston; 4 (2), 5 (N)—Washington; 24, 23, 26—Cleveland; 27 (N), 28, 29 (2)—Chicago; 30 (N), Aug. 1, 2—Detroit; 3, 4, 5 (2)—St. Louis; 6 (N), 8, 9—Washington 17 (N), 18, 19—Philadelphia; Sept. 5 (N), 6—Boston; 7, 8, 9—Washington; 11 (N)—St. Louis; 13, 14, 15—Detroit; 16, 17—Cleveland; 18 (N), 20—Chicago; 25—Philadelphia; 28, 29, 30—Boston.

## Mich. Stars OK For Rose Bowl

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 26 (UP).—California's Golden Bears buckled down to five intensive days of practice today to make the most of the West's best opportunity in five years for a Rose Bowl victory, but Michigan's stock rose slightly with announcement that three injured Wolverine stars would play Monday.

The Bears, despite their undefeated season, were only half a point favorites to end the Big 10's four-year domination in the Rose Bowl. Michigan, which backed into the Big 10 title and brags little about its 5-3-1 season record, may be in top physical condition for the first time since September.

Statistically, California's wrecking crew has it all over Michigan. They piled up 3,236 yards in total offense against the Wolver-

## HEADGEAR FOR D. C. BOXERS

As a direct result of the death of Al West last week, all boxers in Washington, D. C. will wear headgears in future bouts. Commission chairman Harvey L. Miller, in also announcing a benefit program for West's widow, said that the headgear does not prevent knockouts, but prevents a boxer's head from full contact with the floor. It also would eliminate cut eyes and cauliflower ears. The rule applies to both pro and amateur bouts. Washington is the first city to require headgear.

## THE UP WEEKLY COURT RATINGS

- 1-Kentucky.
- 2-Bradley.
- 3-Oklahoma A&M.
- 4-Long Island.
- 5-Indiana.
- 6-North Carolina State.
- 7-Missouri.
- 8-St. John's.
- 9-CCNY.
- 10-Kansas.

SECOND 10—Washington, Villanova, Brigham Young, Wyoming, Kansas State, Duquesne, Cincinnati, Toledo, St. Louis, La Salle.

erines' 2,245, grinding out 2,580 on the ground against Michigan's 1,265—13 yards less than the Wolverines' opponents marked up. Only in the air did Michigan outgain California, 980 to 646, but they threw 184 passes to California's 100.

Best news in the Michigan camp was the team physician's announcement that right halfback Leo Koceski, linebacker Roger Zatkoff and 245-pound defensive guard Dick McWilliams would be able to play at least part of the game Monday, barring further injuries.

## for basketball fans only . . .

### Those Idaho-LIU Fouls—Holmstrom to Start for City—Stanford Coach's Patronage

It took a tremendous rally by LIU to remain unbeaten Monday night at the Garden against a fantastic team of outside shooters from Idaho. But rally they did, after trailing by seven at the half and by two with less than two minutes left. At this exciting juncture Sherman White pivoted for the trying goal and the visitors started to move the ball around carefully to kill the clock for one last shot, a good bet the way they were hitting with deadly one handers.

But one of the visitors saw an opening shot after a while and drove through toward the basket. As he was about to go up with the ball Leroy Smith stole it cleanly from his hands, dribbled the length of the court with tremendous drive and pushed home a short leaping one hander for the final 59-57 margin.

After the game and around the weekly court luncheon yesterday they were talking about the game and the way the foul totals might appear one sided to one who had not seen the game. The whistle blew for 27 Idaho fouls and 10 LIU fouls. Did this mean "home town" officiating? No. It was the inevitable result of the team's style of play and defensive problems.

Idaho, starting with a hot streak of shooting from the outside, just kept it up and that was almost the sum total of their offense. When a team shoots from outside and doesn't drive in, there won't be many fouls called against its opponents. On the other hand, LIU

had big Ray Felix and Sherman White underneath, and Idaho had to try to stop their depredations. The Brooklyn team also drove through for layups much more frequently and these two factors explain the disparity in foul calls.

White had seven points, all fouls, in the first half, and wound up with 17 points on 3 baskets and 11 fouls. Young Felix, continuing his improvement despite the tendency to make sophomore mistakes, started his first game and scored an important 15 points. He is gaining poise all the time, which is evident in the way he is sinking a better percentage of his fouls and getting the ball away in bolder style after taking a rebound.

Actually it wasn't one of LIU's better nights. But they had the drive, lift and heart to overcome the disheartening sight of the opposition never missing. The Idaho coach frankly said his team was shooting over its head and he was very pleased with the game.

A thought that occurs in connection with Idaho's phenomenal first half shooting. After getting into their uniforms and sweat suits, the visitors were observed sitting near the basket watching the CCNY-Brooklyn opening game. Reason, curiosity by the players in seeing the Grand Slam City kids. But maybe getting accustomed to the floor and lighting and flying basketballs before the game helped put their shooting in the mood.

Anyhow, they didn't see City tested once the second half started. City played as if they could pull

ahead and win whenever they wanted, and though they trailed most of the first half, they ran away from too small Brooklyn 64-40. Most notable was Ed Roman's field day against the smaller Brooklyn team, with 30 points, high for a City player in the Garden, four more than Warner's 26 against Kentucky last March. The latter, of course, was more meaningful, but Big Ed did look good at that.

Holman said yesterday that Warner was working out again and might be ready for veteran, unbeaten Arizona Thursday. He also said he might start Holstrom, who looked sharp scoring seven points in the second half. He has a nice set and lots of drive. Herb Cohen saw his first action and is plenty rusty, but could come along fast.

TUBBY RASKIN of Brooklyn says he's going to plump for a fifteen minute game. His team looked great for that distance. He is coming up with a good transfer player in February, Howard Jones of Virginia Union, formerly an all-scholastic at Boys High. Raskin also blew the horn for unsung Queens College, which whipped his team and has lost only to City after a hot fight. He said Shapiro of Queens, a 5-10 dynamo, is the equal of any ball player in the city, bar none. Fast, smart, can score and great defensively.

STANFORD COACH Everett Dean described his team to the assembled writers. In coming to Ed Tucker, the first Negro athlete in the school's history, Dean sounded almost as if he were "explaining" it. He spoke about Tucker's intelligence, the fact that

## on the scoreboard by lester rodney

### Cleveland Rooting, Other Topics

PEOPLE WHO SAW the Cleveland-Los Angeles thriller diller over television, or heard it via radio, all had something to say about the unusual cheering from the stands. Never in pro games had they heard the roar of "GO! GO!" in unison. This was considered strictly college stuff. And when the game ended with the Browns on top 30-28 a good number of the half frozen 30,000 Cleveland fans poured onto the field, uprooting the goal posts and carrying on like Purdue after the Notre Dame game. Nobody could ever remember pro goalposts going down before.

There are a few reasons for this unique fan uproar over a team of hired football hands. One strong factor was undoubtedly the highly climactic nature of the specific game. Not only was it the showdown for all the pro marbles wrapped up cleanly in one afternoon, but it was also vindication for the Cleveland fans' five-year contention that their mighty Browns, rulers of the upstart and now defunct All America Conference, were the best in the world, and that was why the National League champs refused to play them for money, charity or plain fun.

But perhaps more significant is the Ohio complexion of this ballclub. In pro sports it is purely accidental when a team representing a particular city has a few players from in and around the town whose name they bear onto the field of battle. Not so the Browns.

First, the coach, Paul Brown, is no outsider. He is Ohio through and through. For some years he turned out school teams regarded as possibly the country's best at Massillon High. All Ohio was justly proud of the record of the fine, inter-racial teams turned out in this typical Ohio working class community. Finally Ohio State itself beckoned, and once again Brown, one of the nation's younger college coaches, turned out a championship. Came the war and Brown went into the Navy. When he got back the new league was starting up and the challenge of creating a new pro team won Brown for coach. (That plus a few more bucks than Ohio State would go).

Brown stocked up on Ohio personnel whenever possible. A good bulk of the regulars hail from the state, many from Ohio State's teams. Others, like Motley, who had gone to Nevada U, came back to their old Massillon coach.

And yes, the man who won the game with 20 seconds left by calmly prodding the football through the uprights is an Ohioan tool. He is some \$425 per man—hails from the steel town of Martins Ferry, on the banks of the muddy Ohio. Quite an athletic bunch are the sons of the elder Groza, an immigrant steel worker from old Hungary. You may have heard of the Toe's kid brother. You might call him "The Basket." Yep, Alex Groza of Kentucky and pro basketball fame, the greatest college All American center of recent years.

Lou was an Ohio State freshman under Brown, then went into the Army and saw D Day at Leyte and Okinawa. When he came back, like so many others, he felt "too old" for college and moved right over gleefully to a job with his old coach. What a break for Brown! And the Cleveland Browns!

So what with one thing and another—including the fact that they were the team to really blast pro football jimcrow to smithereens, a salute to the Browns of Ohio, the pro team whose fans cheer like rah rah collegians, the best collection of football players in the land. (Does West Point's Blaik have anything silly to say about that statement?)

DON'T ANY COLLEGES make up their own school songs any more? It's getting really funny at the Garden when between halves the announcer says we will now hear the school song of the visiting school—and the organ promptly goes into High Above Cayuga's Waters, which we always thought was Cornell's. Or could it have been originally Vanderbilt's or William and Mary's or Kansas or Denver or Syracuse's and Cornell stole it? Or maybe it's an old English folk song and everyone is welcome to it?

Anyhow, New York colleges can't laugh too loud. St. Johns rises to sing the alma mater which is just "Maryland, My Maryland" to ersatz words, and LIU, in search of a "school song," simply reached across the continent to pluck USC's "Fight On" song. (Also plucked a pretty good ballplayer from under USC's nose in Hal Uplinger, which I'm sure Claire Bee appreciates more).

LARRY DOBY for one can't understand all the excitement about Scarborough going to the Red Sox. Says as far as he's concerned he never saw all the overpowering stuff attributed to the veteran right hander. Thinks it even conceivable that Dobson, with the advantage of the big Comiskey Park outfield, might win more than Scarborough does in Fenway. But Larry has a lot of respect for Wight.

PHONE CALL this a.m.—"I don't read your paper. Someone just showed me the column about Nardiello. I'm a boxer. I don't want to tell you my name. I just want to say a column like that does a lot of good and fighters appreciate it. Keep coming out with the truth like that."

his parents were teachers, that Tucker was a pre-med student with a brilliant average, poised at all times, "would be at home in any kind of company," and also what an exceptional athlete he was.

Are those the minimum "standards" for a Negro on Stanford's teams, Coach? Otherwise why make so much of it?

ODDS AND ENDS: Knick Coach Joe Lapchick, elated at his team's second straight over the Philly Warriors, spoke about the new trend to fewer shots as opposed to harum scarum ball. The Knicks had been taking 85 shots per game. Now they are taking about 70, waiting for the better shots. Previously they had twice gone over 90 points and lost the game! . . . Uplinger of LIU another candidate for All City if he keeps playing that way. Roges finding it difficult to adjust to outside play after being a pivot man in junior college. . . . Al Roth, the disappointment at City after a fine one game start. . . . Frank McGuire said Kentucky had St. Johns scouted so thoroughly he HAD to change his style. "They even scouted our players in the Catskills," he insisted. . . . He said if his team tried to run with the strong Kentucky outfit it would have been murder, by thirty points. Coming "up" for one tough out of town team after another is murder, he says, expecting to lose about pine games. . . . RODNEY.